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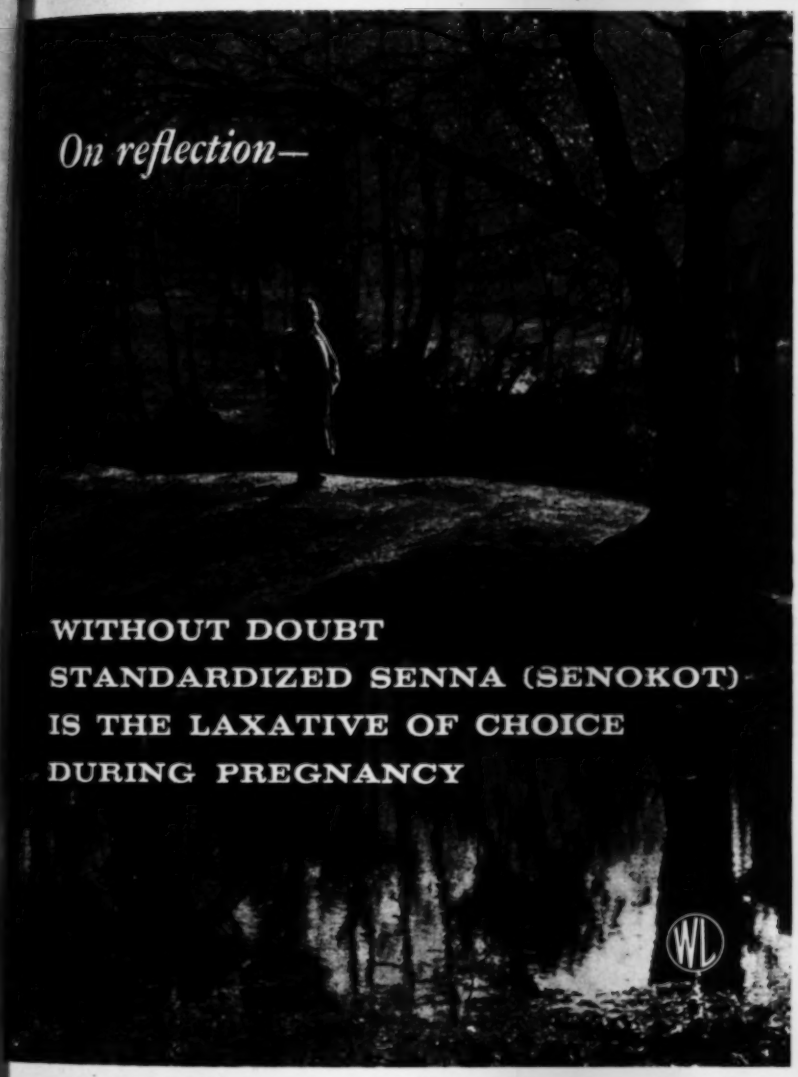

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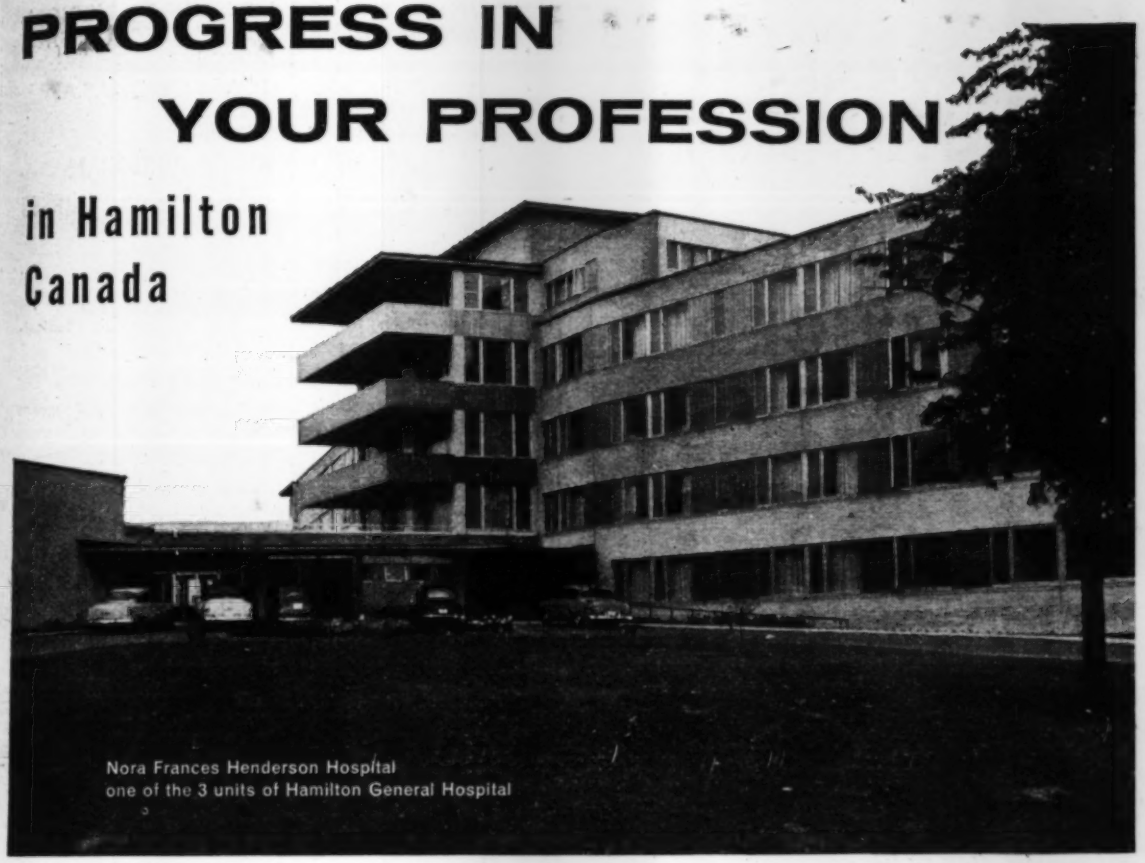

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Particulars and application form may be from the General Secretary, Royal of Nursing, Henrietta Place, London, Applications to be returned by 12th 1961. (2898)

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OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

CENTRAL MIDWIVES BOARD FOR SCOTLAND

Intimation is hereby given that Examina- will be held in Edinburgh, Glasgow, and Aberdeen subject to the number candidates entered therefor.

Last Examination: Tuesday, 4th July.

Next Examination: Tuesday, 5th September.

Last day for entry: one month before date of examination.

Part I of the schedule and fee must be in me not later than one month the date of the Examination.

DOROTHY S. YOUNG,
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PRIZE GIVING AND REUNIONS

MACCLESFIELD HOSPITAL MACCLESFIELD, CHESHIRE

Annual Prizegiving and Reunion will be held at the West Park Branch of the on **Friday,** 12th May, 1961, at

Cordial invitation is extended to all past members of the nursing staff. (2717)

ROYAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD

Annual Reunion of Nurses. Saturday, May, 1961, at 2.45 p.m., in the Out- Hall.

R.S.V.P. to Matron. (2850)

NORTH DEVON AND EAST CORNWALL HOSPITAL, PLYMOUTH
Freedom Fields
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Devonport
Lockyer Street

Annual Prizegiving will be held at the Fields section of the Hospital on May, 27th May, at 3 p.m.

Past Nurses and those associated with Hospital are cordially invited.

(2861)

LONDON JEWISH HOSPITAL STEPNEY GREEN, E.1

Prizegiving and Reunion at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 21st June, 1961.

Tea at 3 p.m.

R.S.V.P. to Matron, not later than the June, 1961. (2862)

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL BIRMINGHAM, 18

Garden Party for the Nursing Staff will be held at the Hospital on Saturday, 3rd June, 1961, from 3 to 6 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all past members.

R.S.V.P. to Matron. (2863)

ENFIELD GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE CHASE FARM HOSPITAL ENFIELD, MIDDLESEX

Chase Farm Hospital, Nurses' League Annual General Meeting and Reunion will be held on the 27th May, 1961, at in the Nurses' Recreation Room. All members and past trainees cordially

R.S.V.P. Matron. (2929)

DERBY CITY HOSPITAL

Annual Prizegiving and Nurses' Re- will be held in the Recreation Room, Home, on Saturday, 27th May, 1961. Former members of the staff are invited. (2957)

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1962/61

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BIRMINGHAM

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REFRESHER COURSES

1961: Teachers of Assistant Nurses—24th-29th April; **Theatre Sisters**—8th-13th May and 10th-15th July; **Mental Health Tutors**—15th-20th May; **Casualty and Out-patients' Sisters**—24th-26th May and 18th-20th July; **School Matrons and Nurses in Residential Schools**—5th-9th September; **District Nurses**—11th-16th September; **Nurse Administrators** (residential)—24th-29th September; **Ward Sisters and Charge Nurses**—6th-11th November; **Staff Nurses**—20th-25th November.

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CLAYTON HOSPITAL, WAKEFIELD

A Reunion of Nurses will be held on Saturday, 27th May, 1961, at 3 p.m. in the Training School, Wentworth Terrace, Wakefield.

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R.S.V.P. to the Matron. (2984)

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RUSH GREEN HOSPITAL, ROMFORD, ESSEX

POST-GRADUATE POLIOMYELITIS COURSE

This hospital is a major centre for bulbar and respiratory poliomyelitis and gives a two months' comprehensive course for State Registered Nurses, Registered Fever Nurses and Registered Sick Children's Nurses.

Practical experience is given in the unit which is equipped with the latest apparatus for positive and negative pressure respiration. Lectures are given covering the specialised care of these patients and equipment.

A limited number of nurses can be accepted monthly for each course and a certificate is given on its completion.

Resident or non-resident posts. Male non-resident only. Salary and conditions of service as for Staff Nurses.

Please apply to Matron. (2672)

NOTTINGHAM CITY COUNCIL
NOTTINGHAMSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

JOINT COURSE FOR TRAINING HEALTH VISITORS

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses who wish to train as Health Visitors. Applicants must possess Part I of the Certificate of the Central Midwives' Board.

This course will be held at the Adult Education Centre of the University of Nottingham from October, 1961-July, 1962.

Bursaries at the rate of £525 per annum, for the duration of the course, will be awarded to suitable applicants by the Nottingham City Council or the Nottinghamshire County Council, on condition they serve the awarding authority for a period of two years on completion of the course. Tuition fees and an allowance for travelling and laundry will be paid in addition. Applicants are asked to state the authority to which they wish to apply for a bursary.

Salary, after qualification, will be in accordance with the Whitley Council Scale for Health Visitors.

Application forms and other particulars may be obtained from Miss D. T. Hogg, Tutor to the Course, at the Adult Education Centre, 14 Shakespeare Street, Nottingham. (2588)

YORKSHIRE
WEST RIDING COUNTY COUNCIL

STUDENT HEALTH VISITORS' TRAINING COURSE

There are increasing opportunities in the field of social medicine for persons with initiative, family interests and a desire to help others to attain a higher degree of health and happiness. Take your training this year with the West Riding County Council. Applicants must be State Registered Nurses holding Part I of the Central Midwives' Board Certificate. Training is at Leeds University for a period of nine months commencing October, 1961. A training allowance of approximately £43 per month, together with expenses and examination fees, is payable.

Selected applicants can be offered **immediate employment** to assist Health Visitors until the training course commences and, during such employment, will be paid at the rate of £525 per annum.

Application forms, together with details, may be obtained from the **County Medical Officer, County Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire.** (2938)

LINDSEY COUNTY COUNCIL

The Lindsey County Council are prepared to grant bursaries to a certain number of selected students who are desirous of taking a course lasting approximately nine months, for the training of Health Visitors.

A bursary at the rate of £516 per annum will be granted to selected applicants who must be State Registered Nurses holding the Certificate of the Central Midwives' Board, or, under the new regulations of the Board, the Part I Certificate. The course fees, and if the candidate is successful in passing the examination, the examination fees, will be paid by the County Council. A uniform allowance of £15 and actual expenses incurred by a student in travelling for the purposes of the course also paid by County Council. In return, students must give an undertaking that, if required, they will serve the County Council as a Health Visitor for two years after qualifying.

Persons interested should communicate with the undersigned from whom further particulars can be obtained.

C. D. CORMAC,
County Medical Officer.

County Offices,
Lincoln. (2755)

QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING
SCOTTISH BRANCH

Applications are invited for

TRAINING in DISTRICT NURSING in SCOTLAND

The Course of Training is four months for the Registered General Nurse or State Registered Nurse, and is reduced to three months for Nurses who are State Certified Midwives or Health Visitors.

Application forms giving full particulars may be obtained from the Superintendent, Queen's Institute of District Nursing, Scottish Branch, 26, Castle Terrace, Edinburgh, 1. (x322)

ROBERT JONES AND AGNES HUNT
ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL
OSWESTRY, SHROPSHIRE

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES

1. **Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate (twelve months' duration)**
   State Registered Nurses are prepared for the examination of the Joint Examination Board of the British Orthopaedic Association and the Central Council for the Care of Cripples.
2. **Operating Theatre and Plaster Department Technique (six months' duration)**
   (i) Three months' experience in the Operating Theatre.
   (ii) Three months' training in plaster technique and visits to outside After-Care Clinics.
3. **The Nursing Care of Paraplegic Patients (three months' duration)**
   (i) Three months' experience on the Paraplegic Wards.
   (ii) A course of lectures on various aspects of paraplegia.

All the above courses are open to male and female State Registered Nurses. Apply to Matron for full details. (2909)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL
HEADINGTON, OXFORD
THEATRE STAFF NURSES

There are vacancies for trained Nurses to undertake six months' Post-graduate experience in a busy Theatre Unit.

Experience in all types of surgery available.

Applications to Matron. (2330)

THE UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL
HEADINGTON, OXFORD
PLASTIC SURGICAL NURSING COURSE

Six months course (theoretical and practical) in reparative and reconstructive surgery.

Applications invited from **S.R.N.s** interested in this course. (10)

THE UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL
HEADINGTON, OXFORD
THORACIC SURGICAL NURSING COURSE

Six months course (theoretical and practical) in Thoracic Surgical Nursing.

Applications invited from **S.R.N.s** or **S.E.A.N.s** or **Nursing Auxiliaries** interested in this work. (16)

THE UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL
HEADINGTON, OXFORD
RESPIRATORY PARALYSIS

The Churchill Hospital, which serves the United Oxford Hospital Medical School, offers to State Registered Nurse a 12 weeks' course in the Theory and Practical Nursing of patients will all forms of Respiratory Paralysis. The course is continuous, vacancies occur at all times. Nurses may be resident or non-resident. Salary as laid down by the Nurses' and Midwives' Whitley Council for Staff Nurses.

Applications to the Matron. Tel.: Oxford 48651. (39)

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL
Scheme of Assisted Training for Student Health Visitors

Student Health Visitors required for training course commencing October, 1961. Applicants must be S.R.N. possessing Part 1 Certificate of the Central Midwives' Board. Salary during training 75 per cent. minimum health visitors' salary. Loan of £45 to cover tuition and examination fees.

Students will be required, when qualified, to work for a minimum period of one year as Health Visitors in Kent at salaries in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations. The theoretical training will be for one academic year at the Battersea College of Technology, and practical training in Kent.

Full particulars and application forms from the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Maidstone, to be returned by not later than 30th May, 1961. (2713)

BRISTOL ROYAL HOSPITAL

A Theatre Course of one year's duration is in operation at the above hospital. Applications are invited from trained **Nurses**, preferably with some theatre experience. The next vacancies will occur on the 3rd July, the 18th September and the 18th December, 1961.

Applications should be submitted to the Matron, Bristol Royal Hospital, Royal Infirmary Branch, Bristol, 2, from whom further particulars may be obtained. (2710)

THE UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
POST-GRADUATE TRAINING IN TUBERCULOSIS FOR BRITISH TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION CERTIFICATE

A scheme of training for the above Certificate has been arranged between the Osler Pavilion, Headington, Oxford, and the Peppard Sanatorium, Henley-on-Thames, Oxon, six months being spent in each hospital.

Schools commence in January, May, July and November.

Salary will be in accordance with the Whitley Council scale.

Details of curriculum will be sent on application to the Matron, Radcliffe Infirmary, Oxford. (x23)

UNITED MANCHESTER HOSPITALS
MANCHESTER ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL
OXFORD ROAD, MANCHESTER, 13

There are vacancies for **State Registered Nurses** to take the course in Ophthalmic Nursing.

Apply to Matron. (x78)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF WEST BROMWICH
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications invited from State Registered Nurses holding the Certificate of the Central Midwives' Board, to enrol as **Student Health Visitors** for the training course commencing September, 1961.

Further particulars obtainable from the Medical Officer of Health, 2 Lodge Road, West Bromwich. Closing date: 22nd May, 1961. (2851)

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, S.W.1
Post-registration Course in Paediatric Nursing

Applications invited from State Registered Nurses on general part of register for a 13 months' course in **Paediatric Nursing** commencing in August, 1961, and approved by The General Nursing Council.

Further particulars and application forms from the Matron. (2969)

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL

In membership with the Q.I.D.N.

DISTRICT TRAINING

Applications are invited from trained nurses to take the shortened course of training for the National Certificate as approved by the Ministry of Health. Whitley Council training allowance paid. The course of training is three months for those with S.R.N. and S.C.M. qualifications, and four months for S.R.N. only. Training is undertaken at Surbiton and Guildford and a block system of theoretical training is arranged.

For further details apply to the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Kingston-upon-Thames. (2962)

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

TRAINING OF HEALTH VISITORS

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses, with at least Part I C.M.B. Certificate, for grant-aided course at Southampton University, commencing September, 1961.

Forms and particulars from Medical Officer of Health, Civic Centre, Southampton. (2867)

CITY OF LEICESTER

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

HEALTH VISITORS' TRAINING SCHOOL

A course of one academic year will commence on 12th September, 1961, and applicants must be general trained State Registered Nurses with Part I of the Certificate of the Central Midwives' Board.

Tax free bursaries at the rate of £43 a month will be offered to approved candidates who agree to remain with the department for at least 18 months after qualifying, when Whitley Council conditions and salary scale would apply.

Places are also available to independent students and students sponsored by other local authorities.

Further particulars and application forms from the Medical Officer of Health, 24a Halford Street, Leicester. (2904)

CITY OF LEICESTER

HOME NURSING SERVICE

Training Course for Queen's Roll Examination and National Certificate:
S.R.N. (four months), commencing September, 1961;
S.R.N. and S.C.M. (three months), October, 1961.

Whitley Council salary and conditions.

Further particulars and application forms from Medical Officer of Health, City Health Department, 1a Grey Friars, Leicester. (2993)

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH NURSING VACANCIES

CENTRAL ELECTRICITY GENERATING BOARD

SOUTHERN DIVISION

GROUP NURSE

EARLEY GENERATING STATION, READING

SEC/3.149

The duties of the post will cover the generating stations and transmission sections in the northern part of the Southern Division.

In addition to the normal duties of an Industrial Nurse, the successful applicant will be required to train and supervise the work of nominated first-aiders.

Applicants should be State Registered Nurses. Preference will be given to candidates holding the Industrial Nursing Certificate of the Royal College of Nursing.

Salary N.J.C. Grade 2, £700-£775.

Special application forms (not A.E. 6/ACT) obtainable only from
Divisional Secretary, 111 High Street, Portsmouth
should be returned by 17th May, 1961.

(2910)

INDUSTRIAL NURSING
in
PERKINS'S GROUP OF COMPANIES IN PETERBOROUGH

State Registered Nurse required in up-to-date Medical Department. Good salary. Night work approximately every eight weeks only. Pension scheme and three weeks' holiday.

Apply personally or write, giving full details of qualifications, experience, etc., to Labour Officer, F. Perkins Ltd., Eastfield, Peterborough. (2931)

PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES

WORCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Vacancies now exist in the following areas:

DISTRICT NURSE

At Oldbury.

DISTRICT MIDWIFE

At Oldbury.

FULL-TIME HEALTH VISITOR

At Oldbury.

QUEEN'S NURSING COURSE FOR S.R.N., S.C.M.

Training for district nursing is arranged at any of the Queen's Homes in the country. Candidates undertake to work in Worcestershire for a period of one year. The allowance is in accordance with the Whitley Council recommendations.

Further information for above posts from the County Medical Officer, Health Department, Love's Grove, Castle Street, Worcester. (L.290.) (2775)

PEMBROKESHIRE COUNTY COUN
COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT
Health Visitors' Scholarships

The Pembrokeshire County Council Scholarships at approved training sch preparation for the **Health Visitors' Ex tion** of the Royal Society for the Pro of Health. Candidates must be S.C.M.

Tuition fees are paid by the Co Council. During training students rece allowance at the rate of three-quarters minimum salary of a qualified Health V

Full particulars and application obtainable from the County Medical County Health Department, 23 Hill Haverfordwest. (2

WILTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
Training of Health Visitors

Applications are invited for trainin one academic year, at the Battersea C of Technology commencing October, and January, 1962. Candidates mu S.R.N. and S.C.M. (or Part I Certif Two years' service required, exclusi training. The Council pays the tuition uniform allowance of £12 per annum of £5 for text books, and during trai grant equalling three-quarters of the mi of the health visitors' Whitley Council scale, afterwards the Whitley scale.

Forms and additional particulars obt from the Clerk of the County Council, C Hall, Trowbridge. (2

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITA
GOWER STREET, LONDON, W.C.

There will be a limited number of vac from 1st July and vacancies from 1st O in the Premature Baby Unit for **S.R. S.R.C.N.** or **S.C.M.** wishing to gain six practical training in the nursing of pre infants. Clinical lectures are arranged.

Please apply, with full particulars, Matron, from whom further details o course can be obtained. (2

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, S.W.1
YOUR OPPORTUNITY!
R.M.N. in 18 months

State Registered Nurses are offered th months' reduction in their psychiatric ing training. This carefully planned has been arranged at Atkinson M (Branch) Hospital, Wimbledon, and at L Hospital, Epsom, in preparation for the part of the register. Lecture courses mence at the former, three times a ye enable candidates to enter for the Co examinations immediately on complet the course.

Apply, in writing, to the Matron. (2

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
RADCLIFFE INFIRMARY

Department of Anaesthetics—six m course. Vacancies occur each month.

Applications should be sent to the M (2

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH NURSING VACANCIES

Nurses in alll branches of Occupa Health Nursing will find the "Jour **Industrial Nurses**" valuable and inter Published by the "Nursing Times", Mac and Co. Ltd., St. Martin's Street, L W.C.2, price 4/6d.: annual subscriptio **Free specimen copy sent on applicati the Manager, stating post held.**

NURSE

A vacancy has occurred for a **Registered Nurse** (female). Applic should not be older than 35 and cap of acting on their own initiative dealing with people. The person s ted will be required to work to a shift system comprising 6 a.m.-2 Monday to Friday and 6 a.m.-12 Saturday of one week and 2 p.m. 10 p.m. Monday to Friday the o week. This is a permanent, progre and pensionable position. Royal Col of Nursing salary scale will be paid.

Please apply, in writing, to:

Personnel Manager (N.2)
QUAKER OATS LTD.
Bridge Road
Southall, Middx.
(2990

HARDY SPICER LIMITED
a member of
THE BIRFIELD GROUP

A **State Registered Nurse** (preferre range 25-30 years) is required by the company for the staff of its Health situated at the Chester Road premises least two years' experience in casualty ophthalmic work is required.

This position will give very good exp for a person interested in occupational nursing. The successful candidate mus a certain mobility between companies Group.

The salary will be according to the College of Nursing scale.

Applications should be made to the P nel Manager, Hardy Spicer Limited, C Road, Erdington, Birmingham, 24.

IMPERIAL CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES LIMITED
PAINTS DIVISION
SLOUGH, BUCKS.

There is a vacancy in the Medical Department for a **Nursing Sister** to work on a two-shift system (no night work). The Department consists of a Medical Officer and four nurses.

Applicants should have a good standard of education and an agreeable disposition, and general nursing experience which includes casualty work in industry or in hospital. An Occupational Health Certificate is an advantage. The Company operates a bonus and profit-sharing scheme.

Please apply to the Staff Officer (Women), Imperial Chemical Industries Limited, Paints Division, Wexham Road, Slough, Bucks.
(2733)

N. CORAH
(ST. MARGARET) LIMITED
ST. MARGARET'S WORKS
LEICESTER

A vacancy exists in the Health Centre for a **State Enrolled Nurse.**

Applicants should write, giving particulars of experience and age, to the Personnel Manager.

(2916)

HOLIDAY RELIEF

S.R.N., with occupational experience, required to relieve Sister in sole charge of staff of West End store, for two short holiday periods each year, to commence this year. Also, if required, to take over in January.

Please apply, giving details of qualifications and experience, to Personnel Manager, Peters (Piccadilly) Ltd., London, W.1.
(2864)

PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES

DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for posts in the undermentioned areas:

DOMICILIARY MIDWIVES

Ambergate, near Derby.
Long Eaton, near Nottingham.
Pinxtonbrook, near Mansfield.

HEALTH VISITORS

Vacancies in various parts of the County. County Council's salaries and conditions of service. Travelling allowance on County scale. Posts pensionable. A scheme of allowances towards removal and lodging allowances in appropriate cases has been approved. Canvassing disqualifies.

Application forms are obtainable from Dr. J. S. Morgan, County Medical Officer of Health, County Offices, Matlock, and should be returned to him duly completed by 15th May, 1961.
(2836)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF HUDDERSFIELD
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons to undertake general Health Visiting and School Nursing duties and clinical duties mainly in connection with clinics, for which the salary will be in accordance with the scale laid down for a Senior Health Visitor, i.e. £719-£903 per annum, plus £30 per annum, together with a uniform allowance of £18 per annum.

Conditions of service as laid down by the Joint Councils for the Health Services.

Application forms may be obtained from Dr. G. Davies, Medical Officer of Health, Health Department, Ramsden Street, Huddersfield, to whom applications should be returned as soon as possible.

Canvassing is prohibited.

HARRY BANN,
Town Clerk.
(2785)

MONMOUTHSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
APPOINTMENT OF COUNTY MIDWIVES

Applications are invited for the following posts:

(1) Peripatetic **County Midwife** in Chepstow rural area.
(2) Peripatetic **County Midwife** in Abergavenny rural area.
(3) **County Midwife** in Monmouth area (with housing accommodation).
(4) **County Midwife** in Pontypool area.

Applicants should not be over the age of 45 years and should be able to drive a car.

Application forms and conditions of service can be obtained from the County Medical Officer, Cambria House, Caerleon, to whom the form of application should be returned not later than 20th May, 1961.

VERNON LAWRENCE,
County Hall, Clerk of the Council.
Newport, Mon. (2855)

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE

The following vacancies exist in Northamptonshire which is an attractive and pleasant County offering a wide choice of urban or rural posts. The County, with its spires and stately homes, is situated in the South Midlands and, with the opening of the M.1, is within easy reach of London and Birmingham or any of the intermediate towns.

All nurses are provided with cars which they can use for private purposes within the County for a small mileage payment, or an allowance is paid to nurses providing their own cars.

HEALTH VISITORS

Corby. Rapidly expanding industrial "New Town" with young population.
Weston Favell. Attractive rural area including new, privately built estate adjacent to Northampton and villages of historical interest.

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIFE

Broughton. Rural district with easy access to Kettering.
Brixworth. Pleasant rural area.
Daventry. Ancient borough set in pleasant countryside. New house to be erected and will be available furnished or unfurnished.

All the above posts are subject to Whitley Council scales and conditions of service.

STUDENTSHIPS

Health Visitors' Studentships and courses of training for District Nurses are still available for 1961/62. Training facilities are also available for Part II Midwifery Pupils.

If you are interested in any of the above vacancies and would like further information, please write to:

C. MILLIKEN SMITH, O.B.E., M.D., D.P.H.,
County Medical Officer of Health.

County Offices,
Guildhall Road,
Northampton. (2617)

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited from State Registered General Trained Nurses holding Part I Certificate of the C.M.B., to train as **Health Visitors.** The course, which lasts two terms, is held in Wimbledon under the aegis of Brooklands Technical College, Weybridge, and commences in September, 1961. The Council are prepared to consider applications for assistance in training to candidates willing to give an undertaking to serve for at least one year, if required, on qualifying. Remuneration will be at the rate of three-quarters of the Health Visitor's minimum salary, plus payment of travelling expenses. The Course Fee for persons ordinarily resident in the Administrative County is £30, of which £15 is paid by the Ministry of Health. For those students ordinarily resident outside the Administrative County, an Out-County Fee may be payable in addition to the normal tuition fee of £30.

Applications are invited for the following superannuable full-time appointments:

HEALTH VISITORS

There are vacancies in the following areas for Health Visitor/School Nurse.
Byfleet. Car area.
Carshalton.
Egham.
Ham. Car area.
Hersham.
Merton and Morden. Tuberculosis visiting.
Mortlake. Tuberculosis visiting.
New Malden.
Walton-on-Thames.

Full-time Geriatric Health Visitor in the **Kingston Area,** who will work from the hospital in close co-operation with the Geriatrician. The successful applicant will be required to be a car driver.

Full-time Geriatric Health Visitor in the **Guildford Area,** who will work from the hospital in close co-operation with the Geriatrician. The successful applicant will be required to be a car driver.

GUILDFORD QUEEN'S NURSES' HOME
DISTRICT NURSE TRAINING HOME

Second Assistant Superintendent required. Candidates must be S.R.N., S.C.M., Q.N. Salary grade £683 x £26 (4) x £27 (1)—£814 p.a., plus £10 p.a. for regular midwifery undertaken from the home, less a deduction at the rate of £205 p.a. for living in the home.

DISTRICT NURSES

Cheam. Non-resident.

SENIOR NURSE

Redhill. Resident in nurses' home.
Sutton. Resident in nurses' home.

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIVES

(Motorists, or willing to learn)

Barnes. Furnished flatlet available.
Caterham Hill. Accommodation to be provided at future date.
Ewell. Non-resident.
Horley. Furnished flat available.
Kingston-upon-Thames. No accommodation at present.
Leatherhead. Group Relief. Furnished flat available.
Sutton. Resident or non-resident.
Wimbledon. Furnished flatlet available.
Woking (Brookwood and St. John's area). Double district for two friends—furnished house provided.

Apply to the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Kingston-upon-Thames.
(2966)

CUMBERLAND COUNTY COUNCIL

(Afflicted to the Queen's Institute of District Nursing)

1. **District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitors**
   (a) **Bothel.** One required.
   (b) **Threlkeld (Nr. Keswick).** One required.
   (c) **Wigton.** One required.
   (d) **Alston.** Two required. } Suit friends.
   (e) **Longtown.** Two required. }
2. **District Nurse-Midwives**
   Maryport. Two required. Suit friends.
3. **District Midwife**
   Millom. One required. New flat available.
   Furnished or unfurnished houses available and cars will be provided for all the above appointments.
4. **Queen's District Training**
   Applications are invited from Nurses, S.R.N., S.C.M., wishing to work as District Nurse-Midwives in Cumberland. Arrangements can be made for them to take three or four months' training at an approved Queen's Nurses' Training Home.
   Further particulars and application forms obtainable from the County Medical Officer, 11 Portland Square, Carlisle. (2913)

CITY OF CANTERBURY
SENIOR HEALTH VISITOR AND SCHOOL NURSE

Applications are invited for the above appointment from Nurses holding the Health Visitor's Certificate of the Royal Society of Health.

Salary in accordance with the recommendations of the Nurses' and Midwives' Whitley Council (£719-£903 per annum), the commencing salary to be determined by the applicant's previous experience. An essential car users' allowance will be payable.

Applications, giving particulars of age, present and past appointments, and names of three referees, to be sent to the Medical Officer of Health, 14 Dane John, Canterbury, as soon as possible.

Canvassing will disqualify. (2779)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL
BARKING HEALTH AREA

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Area Superintendent Health Visitor** (10 to 24 staff) to commence duty in August, 1961.

Applicants must possess S.R.N., S.C.M., and H.V. qualifications, and have had supervisory and administrative experience.

Salary within scale £845-£971 per annum, plus London Weighting.

The post is pensionable and subject to medical examination.

Application forms returnable by Tuesday, 23rd May, and further particulars from the Area Medical Officer, Town Hall, Barking.

E. R. FARR,
Town Hall, Area Clerk.
Barking, Essex. (2747)

WILTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the following superannuable appointments, Whitley Council salaries.

DISTRICT NURSE MIDWIVES

Fonthill (near Salisbury)—Temporary unfurnished accommodation available.

Easton and Burbage (near Marlborough—Council house available.

DISTRICT NURSE (S.R.N.)

Trowbridge.

HEALTH VISITOR

Swindon—Required for service in Chest Clinic at Swindon for prevention, care and after-care visits in the area served by the clinic.

Travelling allowances for use of own car, with loan facilities for obtaining car, or County Council car provided in connection with above appointments. Grants given towards driving tuition.

Apply to Clerk of the Council, County Hall, Trowbridge. (2887)

MANCHESTER EDUCATION COMMITTEE
SCHOOL NURSE

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses, preferably with Health Visitors Certificate, for the post of **School Nurse.**

Salary: with Health Visitors Certificate £630 x £26 (5) x £27 (2)—£814 per annum; without Health Visitors Certificate £551 x £26 (5) x £27 (2)—£735.

Application forms and particulars (stamped addressed envelope) from Chief Education Officer, P.O. Box 480, Manchester, 3, by 22nd May, 1961. (2922)

LINDSEY COUNTY COUNCIL
HEALTH DEPARTMENT
(In Membership with the Queen's Institute of District Nursing)

Applications are invited for the post of **District Nurse/Midwife** (S.R.N., S.C.M.) for Winterton Nursing District. Whitley Council salary scales and conditions of service. Commencing salary according to qualifications and experience. Car provided by County Council. Possibility of house becoming available.

Application forms from Dr. C. D. Cormac, Health Department, County Offices, Lincoln.
(2925)

ESSEX COUNTY HEALTH SERVICES
DAGENHAM HEALTH AREA
APPOINTMENT OF MIDWIFE

State Certificated Midwife required for employment in the domiciliary midwifery service of the Area. Post superannuable; medical examination; Nurses' and Midwives' Council salary scale and service conditions; unfurnished house available.

Forms of application are obtainable from the Area Medical Officer, Civic Centre, Dagenham, to whom they must be returned by 20th May, 1961.

KEITH LAUDER,
Civic Centre, Area Clerk.
Dagenham. (2954)

MONMOUTHSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
APPOINTMENT OF DISTRICT NURSE

Applications are invited for the appointment of a **District Nurse** in the Newbridge (Part) area of this County. Candidates must be State Registered Nurses and not over the age of 50 years.

Salary and conditions of service according to Whitley Councils' recommendations.

Application forms and conditions of appointment can be obtained from the County Medical Officer, Cambria House, Caerleon, Mon., to whom application forms should be returned not later than first post on 22nd May, 1961.

VERNON LAWRENCE,
Clerk of the Council.
(2983)

PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES CONTINUED ON SUPPLEMENT IX

EAST ANGLIAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, training, qualifications and experience, and accompanied by copies of two recent testimonials (or the names of two referees) to THE MATRON OF THE HOSPITAL CONCERNED (except where otherwise stated). Salaries and conditions of service are in accordance with the appropriate scales.

IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL
HEATH ROAD WING, IPSWICH, SUFFOLK
(General—280 beds)

Following re-organisation of this small, but busy Theatre Unit, additional staff are required as follows:

JUNIOR SISTERS with theatre experience.

STAFF NURSE for theatre training.

Very good general theatre experience available. Applicants may be resident or non-resident.

For further information apply to Matron Superintendent.

NORFOLK AREA

SISTERS

CROMER AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Cromer (General—52 beds). Assistant Nurse Training School. Night duty relief. Modern well-equipped hospital. Excellent accommodation. Six nights off per fortnight.

STAFF NURSES

CROMER AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Cromer (General—52 beds). Assistant Nurse Training School. Well-equipped hospital. Excellent accommodation. 44 hour week.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

FLETCHER HOSPITAL, Norwich Road, Cromer (Geriatric—65 beds). For modern Geriatric Unit. Excellent experience in progressive nursing using enlightened methods of rehabilitation. Ideal surroundings, main line service to London. Staff required for opening new wards. Resident or non-resident.

WEST SUFFOLK AREA

ASSISTANT MATRON

WEST SUFFOLK GENERAL HOSPITAL, Bury St. Edmunds (Acute—256 beds). Senior of two. Candidates should have good administrative experience, a Certificate in Nursing Administration an advantage. Applications to Group Secretary, 36 Mill Road, Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk, by 23rd June.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newmarket (302 beds). Immediate vacancy in residential post. Opportunity to gain experience in administration.

NIGHT SISTERS

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newmarket (302 beds). For part-time duties. Must be S.R.N.

SISTERS

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newmarket (302 beds). Sister for Theatre.

WEST SUFFOLK GENERAL HOSPITAL, Bury St. Edmunds (Acute—256 beds). Experienced Sister required for Female Surgical Ward (21 beds). Residence optional.

STAFF NURSES

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newmarket (302 beds). For Medical and Surgical Wards. Male and female.

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newmarket (302 beds). For Male Orthopaedic Ward.

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newmarket (302 beds). For Out-patients' and Casualty Department.

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newmarket (302 beds). For Theatre.

WEST SUFFOLK GENERAL HOSPITAL, Bury St. Edmunds (Acute—256 beds). Two required for general theatres. Good experience available.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

WEST SUFFOLK GENERAL HOSPITAL, Bury St. Edmunds (Acute—256 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

ST. LEONARD'S HOSPITAL, Sudbury (Acute—42 beds). Two required for vacancies on 1st June—Sister or Staff Midwife. Day duty and relief night duty.

PETERBOROUGH AREA

SISTERS

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Peterborough (Acute—162 beds). Ward Sister required for 25 bedded Women's Orthopaedic Ward. Should have previous experience as a Ward Sister, and preference will be given to applicants holding the Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate.

STAFF NURSES

ISOLATION HOSPITAL, Peterborough (Isolation—33 beds). Full-time. Required for modern isolation hospital. A small homely unit. Comfortable residence is available. Detailed applications to the Matron, Memorial Hospital, Peterborough.

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Peterborough (Acute—162 beds). Two requred for Operating Theatre vacancies. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

ISOLATION HOSPITAL, Peterborough (Isolation—33 beds). Two required for modern isolation hospital. A small homely unit. Comfortable residence available. Detailed applicsitons to the Matron, Memorial Hospital, Peterborough.

EAST SUFFOLK AREA

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL (630 beds). Valuable experience in all branches of nursing administration. Vacancy owing to promotion. Resident or non-resident. Apply to Matron Superintendent, Anglesea Road Wing.

SISTERS

IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL (630 beds). Junior Sisters required for holiday relief or general ward duties. Good experience available. Apply to Matron Superintendent, Anglesea Road Wing.

SUFFOLK CONVALESCENT HOMES, Felixstowe, Suffolk (Convalescent—[illegible] beds). For busy Convalescent Home

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

FOXHALL HOSPITAL, Foxhall Road, Ipswich (Chest Diseases and T.B.—102 beds). S.R.N., with or without B.T.A. Certificate, required for Medical and Surgical Wards. Facilities available for taking the B.T.A. Certificate. Resident or non-resident.

IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL, Ipswich (630 beds). Staff Nurses required for general Medical and Surgical Ward duties—good experience available; also some for Out-patient Department and Casualty duties; and one for busy Special and Skin Out-patients' Department, full-time or part-time, urgently required. Apply to Matron Superintendent, Anglesea Road Wing.

SOUTHWOLD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Southwold, Suffolk (General—16 beds). S.R.N. Full-time. Required for alternate day and night duty.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

FOXHALL HOSPITAL, Foxhall Road, Ipswich (Chest Diseases and T.B.—102 beds). S.R.N., with or without B.T.A. Certificate, required for Medical and Surgical Wards. Facilities available for taking the B.T.A. Certificate. Residence accommodation for single men only.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL, Ipswich (630 beds). Good experience available in various general wards and departments. Apply to Matron Superintendent, Anglesea Road Wing.

STAFF MIDWIVES

IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL (HEATH ROAD WING), Ipswich (General—630 beds). Required at Heath Road Wing for Abnormal Midwifery Unit (43 beds, plus 6 Premature Baby cots). Part I Training School. Apply to Matron Superintendent, Heath Road Wing.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL (HEATH ROAD WING), Ipswich (General—280 beds). For Part I Training School. Vacancies February, May, August, November each year.

CAMBRIDGESHIRE AREA

HOME SISTER

PAPWORTH HOSPITAL, Nr. Cambridge.

NIGHT SISTER

PAPWORTH HOSPITAL, Nr. Cambridge.

SISTERS

PAPWORTH HOSPITAL, Nr. Cambridge. Second Sister for Cardiac Unit. Also Relief Sister.

ROYSTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Royston, Herts. (30 beds). Ward Sister with theatre experience. S.R.N., S.C.M.

CHARGE NURSE

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (96 beds). Male Charge Nurse and Female S.R.N. or S.E.A.N. for Male and Female Geriatric Wards respectively. Flat available for married couple.

STAFF NURSES

NORTH CAMBS HOSPITAL, Wisbech (Acute—66 beds). For Medical and Surgical Acute Wards. Resident or non-resident.

PAPWORTH HOSPITAL, Nr. Cambrdge. Staff Nurse required, also Theatre Staff Nurse for Thoracic Surgical Unit.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

NORTH CAMBS HOSPITAL, Wisbech (Acute—66 beds). For Medical and Surgical Acute Wards. Resident or non-resident.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (96 beds). One male and one female. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

ROYSTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Royston, Herts. (30 beds). For day or night duty. S.R.N. qualification an advantage.

EAST ANGLIAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

HUNTINGDONSHIRE AREA

SISTERS

WALNUT TREE HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (86 beds). Ward Sister for Geriatric Unit. Resident or non-resident. Flat available for resident appointment.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

HUNTINGDON COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (57 beds). For Male Ward Unit of 20 beds.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

HUNTINGDON COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (57 beds).

ISLE OF ELY AREA

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

TOWER HOSPITAL, Ely (107 beds). Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

GRANGE MATERNITY HOME, Ely (20 beds). Midwife. Resident or non-resident.

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

Applications are invited for Student Nurses at the following hospitals. Training allowance and conditions of service are in accordance with the Whitley Council scale. Applications to Matron of hospital concerned.

FULBOURN HOSPITAL, Cambridge (Mental—915 beds). Applications are invited from young ladies to train as Psychiatric Nurses. Excellent training facilities are available. Forty-four hour week; all modern treatments practised. Eighteen months' training for Nurses who have completed general training.

IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL, Anglesea Road, Ipswich (General—630 beds). Training School for Nurses. Applications are invited from well-educated girls wishing to enter as Student Nurses. For further particulars and advice re pre-training occupation, please write to the Matron Superintendent.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

PAPWORTH HOSPITAL, Nr. Cambridge.

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PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES—Continued

HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

(Member of Queen's Institute of District Nursing)

ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL NURSING OFFICER

Applicants must hold the following qualifications: S.R.N., S.C.M., H.V. Certificate and have done district nursing training or be willing to undertake this. Valuable experience for those wishing to obtain more senior posts. Salary £814 x £31 x £32—£940.

DISTRICT NURSES/MIDWIVES

Furnished or unfurnished houses or flats in all cases at moderate rents. Cars provided for use or can use own car and receive an allowance.

Districts vacant at present are:
Croxley Green (Watford). Berkhamsted. North Mymms—new house available. Bricket Wood.

HEALTH VISITORS/SCHOOL NURSE

Cycle allowance paid and uniforms provided.
Districts vacant at present are:
New Towns:
Stevenage.
Other Towns:
Hoddesdon. Hitchin. Watford. Harpenden. Hemel Hempstead.

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIFE/HEALTH VISITOR

Furnished or unfurnished houses available. Can use own car and receive an allowance, or car provided.
Districts vacant at present are:
Sandridge. Baldock.

TRAINING SCHOLARSHIPS

Queen's District Training. (a) Three months' training for S.R.N., S.C.M. candidates, commencing in January, May and October. Four months' course for S.R.N., entry dates January, May and September. Salary £264 p.a., plus full emoluments.

Health Visitors' Training. (b) Minimum qualifications: S.R.N. and Part I C.M.B. Certificates. Six or nine months' training. Applicants should be less than 35 years of age. Allowance during training £9 8s. 11d. per week, plus a grant for the cost of insurance and £1 towards the cost of books.

Tuition and examination fees paid by the County Council. Successful applicants will be required to serve the County Council for a further one year on completion of Course (a) and two years following (b).

For forms of application apply the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Hertford, Herts. (2981)

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the following appointments:

HEALTH VISITORS

Leigh Park, Havant (two). Flat available. Travelling allowance given if own car provided.

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIFE

Aldershot. House or flat provided. Car provided or allowance given for use of own car.

For further particulars and forms of application apply the County Medical Officer, The Castle, Winchester. (2932)

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE

DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT NURSING OFFICER

Applications are invited for the above post. Applicants must possess S.R.N., S.C.M., and Health Visitor's Certificates, and be qualified under the Midwives' (Qualifications of Supervisors) Regulations; preference given to Queen's Nurse.

The successful applicant will act as Deputy to the Superintendent Nursing Officer in her absence and will work mainly in the Kettering area. A flat, furnished or unfurnished, is available at the former nurses' home in Kettering.

A car will be provided, which may be used for private purposes at a fixed charge, or the appropriate allowances will be paid for the use of own car on duty.

Whitley Council scales and conditions of service.

For application form and any other information please write to:

C. MILLIKEN SMITH, O.B.E., M.D., D.P.H.,
County Medical Officer of Health.

County Offices,
Guildhall Road,
Northampton. (2797)

MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL

COUNTY HEALTH DEPT.

1. **Home Nurses** required in: (a) Area 2 (Southgate, Potters Bar, Wood Green, Friern Barnet). (Whole or part-time.) Established, if whole-time. Particulars and two referees to Area Medical Officer, Town Hall, Palmers Green, N.13, by 19th May. (b) Willesden, for relief duties. Unestablished. Particulars and two referees to Joint Area Medical Officers, 215 Chevening Rd., Kilburn, N.W.6, by 19th May.

Posts (a) and (b): S.R.N., pref. district trained. County Council is member of Q.I.D.N.

2. **Domiciliary Midwife** required in Area 5 (Harrow). Must be S.C.M., pref. S.R.N. Car allowance. Assistance with housing may be provided. Application forms from Area Medical Officer, Kynaston Court, Boxtree Road, Harrow Weald, Middx., returnable by 19th May.

Posts 1 and 2: N.M.C. salary plus London Weighting. Provision for uniform.

WELFARE DEPT.

3. **Assistant Matrons** (res.) required at 10/11 Grange Park, Ealing, W.5, and Meadowside, 58 Holden Road, Finchley, N.12 (homes for aged).

4. **Assistant Superintendent** (res.) required for Beveree, 43 High St., Hampton, Middx. (home for 38 aged and infirm men).

Posts 3 and 4: Duties include attending to needs of residents and relieving Matron (Post 3), Superintendent (Post 4), and other staff as necessary. Salary £640-£685, less £150 for board and lodging. Full particulars and three referees to Chief Welfare Officer, 1 Queen Anne's Gate Bldgs., S.W.1.

5. **Ward Sisters,** S.R.N. (res.) to act as deputy to Matron and take charge of home in her absence. N.M.C. salary £656-£840, less £205 p.a. for board and lodging. Required at: (a) Woodlands Park, Woodlands Lane, Stoke d'Abernon, Cobham, Surrey (home for aged and infirm women). (b) Breakspear House, Breakspear Road North, Harefield, Middx. (home for aged). (c) Hillcrest, 177 Preston Hill, Wembley, Middx. (new home for aged). (d) Marrowells, 35 Oatlands Chase, Weybridge, Surrey (home for aged women).

6. **Enrolled Assistant Nurse** (res.) required at The Leys, Barnet Lane, Elstree, Herts. (home for aged women). Salary £452-£578. Charged £165 for board and lodging.

7. **Female Attendants** (res. or non-res.) required for: (a) Woodlands Park, Woodlands Lane, Stoke d'Abernon, Cobham, Surrey (home for aged); and (b) The Leys, Barnet Lane, Elstree, Herts. (home for aged women).

Knowledge of nursing, advantage. Wage 151/3d. p. 42 hr. wk. If res., less 51/2d. p. wk. for board and lodging. Protective clothing free. Posts 5-7: Full particulars to Matron of home concerned, immediately.

All posts: Prescribed conditions. (Quote D.797 N.T.) (2897)

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL

(Member of Queen's Institute)

Applications invited for the following appointments:

ONE CANDIDATE, S.R.N., S.C.M.

Required for training to qualify for admission to Queen's Roll.

DISTRICT MIDWIVES

Sittingbourne. Unfurnished house available.
Northfleet.
Gravesend.
Crayford/Dartford Area.

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIVES

Bearsted, Nr. Maidstone. Possibility of house or lodgings becoming available.

Hythe. Unfurnished accommodation available.

Rolvenden, Nr. Tenterden. House available.

Speldhurst, Nr. Tunbridge Wells. Unfurnished house available.

Lower Stoke, Nr. Rochester. Midwives' scale. Local Council house available.

West Malling. Unfurnished house available.

Brookland and District, Nr. Tenterden. Required August, 1961. Salary—Midwives' scale. Unfurnished house available.

DISTRICT NURSE

Hythe. Required September. Unfurnished accommodation available.

Whitley Council's salaries and conditions of service. Q.I.D.N. Certificate not essential.

Application forms obtainable from County Medical Officer, County Hall, Maidstone. (2869)

GLOUCESTER DISTRICT NURSING SOCIETY

State Certified Midwives required for whole-time domiciliary midwifery. Also one **Domiciliary Midwife** required for night duty only.

Apply to the Superintendent, 14 Clarence Street, Gloucester. (2654)

PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES—CONTINUED ON SUPPLEMENT XV

NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committees, applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) TO THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL, unless otherwise stated, from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance with the appropriate National Scales.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

ASSISTANT MATRON

East Ham Memorial Hospital, Aldersbrook Unit, Aldersbrook Road, Wanstead, E.11 (Acute—55 beds). Female. Resident. The unit has 55 beds and is an extension to East Ham Memorial Hospital (overall complement 201). Candidates should have administrative experience. Apply, stating age, experience and names of three referees (to include two Matrons), to **Matron, East Ham Memorial Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, London, E.7.**

PRINCIPAL SISTER TUTOR

St. Margaret's Hospital, Epping, Essex (General Training School for Nurses—485 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident. Study day block system of training. Candidate of good experience required. Busy hospital situated in country surroundings one hour's journey from London.

SISTER TUTORS

Hackney Group of Hospitals. Resident or non-resident. New Group Training School requires enterprising Assistant Tutor. Good all-round teaching experience offered. Apply to **Director of Nurse Education, Hackney Hospital, E.9.**

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—476 beds). Qualified. Res. or non-res. One of three to work under Principal Tutor. Four Preliminary Training Schools per year. Study day system of training. Well-equipped department. Further particulars and application forms from Matron.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, E.3 (General—505 beds). Resident or non-resident. One of four. Nurse Training School.

NURSE TUTOR

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (709 beds). Registered Nurse Tutor. Complete General Training School. The block system is in use, and experience is offered in both Preliminary and Senior School. The appointment is one of six. Post open to male or female candidates. Residential accommodation is available for female. The hospital is within easy reach of town and country and travel to London is by fast electric railway (20 mins.). Applications to the Matron.

TUTORS

Bethnal Green Hospital, Cambridge Heath Road, London, E.2 (301 beds). Required to assist Principal Tutor. Study day system of training. For further particulars apply to Matron.

Bishop's Stortford and District Hospital, Rye Street, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (67 beds). Female. Resident. Qualified or unqualified for S.E.A.N. School.

HOME SISTERS

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—476 beds). Resident.

Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, E.2. Resident. Home Sister with administrative duties.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

Essex County Hospital, Lexden Road, Colchester (Complete General Training School—179 beds). Res. or non-res. The post offers good experience in a Complete Nurse Training School for the General Register.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Road, E.14 (General — 120 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

St. Matthew's Hospital, Shepherdess Walk, London, N.1. Resident Female Administrative Sister (Cat. 'B') required for this Assistant Nurse Training School. Good administrative experience available. For particulars apply to Matron.

TEMPORARY ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

Connaught Hospital, Walthamstow, E.17 (General Training School for Nurses—123 beds). Female. Res. or non-res. Good administrative experience required.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT (FEMALE)

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford. Pleasant flat available. Excellent experience for ambitious candidates.

SENIOR NIGHT SISTER

High Wood Hospital, Brentwood, Essex. Resident or non-resident. Required full-time. Further particulars, apply Matron.

NIGHT SISTERS

Chingford Hospital, Larkshall Road, Chingford, E.4 (Assistant Nurse Training School—100 beds). Resident or non-resident.

East Ham Memorial Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, Forest Gate, E.7 (Acute—201 beds). Resident or non-resident.

German Hospital, E.8 (General—157 beds). For busy General Hospital. Training School for Nurses. Three consecutive nights off a week.

Herts and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (341 beds). Resident or non-resident. S.R.N., S.C.M.

London Jewish Hospital, Stepney Green, E.1 (General—130 beds). Res. or non-res. Three nights off per week. General Training School. Non-denominational.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General — 825 beds). Resident or non-resident. Full and part-time. Five nights off duty a fortnight.

Plaistow Hospital, Samson Street, London, E.13 (211 beds). Resident or non-resident. Three or four nights per week. For Medical, Fever and Chest Wards. Combined General Training School with Queen Mary's and St. Mary's Hospitals.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, E.3 (General—505 beds). Resident or non-resident. Nurse Training School.

RELIEF NIGHT SISTER

Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, London, E.2, and Shadwell, London, E.1. Relief Night Sister (female). Resident or non-resident.

DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT MIDWIFE

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford (Maternity Unit—77 beds). Resident or non-resident. Preferably with M.T.D. Vacancy due to promotion. Part I Training School. Hospital within easy reach of London. Application forms from Matron.

SISTER-IN-CHARGE

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex. Resident or non-resident. Sister-in-Charge of seven-bedded Isolation Maternity Unit.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General — 409 beds, including 38 Maternity beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

Clacton Maternity Hospital, Skelmersdale Road, Clacton-on-Sea (16 beds). Res. or non-res. For night duty.

Hackney Hospital, E.9 (General—870 beds—100 Maternity, including Prem. Baby Unit). Resident or non-resident. S.R.N., S.C.M. Part I Midwifery Training School.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS—Contd.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—476 beds). Res. or non-res. Part I Training School. Good experience in all departments and night duty. Facilities for taking M.T.D. 44 hour week.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (Maternity Unit—101 beds). Res. or non-res.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex. Res. or non-res. For Part I Training School of 90 beds. Hospital is within easy reach of East Coast, London and country. Also **ONE** for Premature Baby Unit.

Ongar War Memorial Hospital, Ongar, Essex (General, Medical and Maternity—24 beds). Resident or non-resident. Relief night duty. S.R.N., S.C.M.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, E.3 (General—505 beds). Resident or non-resident. S.R.N., S.C.M. Part I Training School of 36 beds.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (Maternity Unit—77 beds). Resident or non-resident. Part I Training School.

WEST HAM GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE, STRATFORD, E.15

Applications are invited for the post of **ASSISTANT MATRON** to **East Ham Memorial Hospital.** Resident or non-resident. The salary scale is £775 to £895 p.a. (less £235 for board and lodging). This is a very busy general hospital with a full range of specialties, and is a complete general training school for nurses. Bed complement is 201, including a new unit now opened. The person appointed will be required to deputise for the Matron over the whole range of her duties. Candidates should have administrative experience.

Applications, giving age, details of experience and the names of three referees (of whom two should be Matrons), to the Matron, East Ham Memorial Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, London, E.7.

DEPARTMENTAL THEATRE SISTER

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Road, E.14 (General—120 beds). Resident or non-resident. Female. Acute work. Busy Theatre.

THEATRE SISTERS

Connaught Hospital, Walthamstow, E.17 (General Training School for Nurses—123 beds). Resident or non-resident. Good theatre experience necessary and ability to teach Student Nurses in busy general Theatre.

East Ham Memorial Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, Forest Gate, E.7 (Acute—201 beds). Resident or non-resident. Second Theatre Sister.

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Chase Side, Enfield (Acute General—58 beds). Resident S.R.N.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (709 beds). Resident or non-resident. Also one required for Neurosurgical Theatre. The hospital is within easy reach of town and country, and travel to London is by fast electric railway (20 mins.). Applications to the Matron.

Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, E.2. Junior Sister for Theatre. Res. or non-res. S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. only.

St. Leonard's Hospital, Nuttall Street, London, N.1 (General — 192 beds). Theatre Sister for general surgery. Resident or non-resident. Apply to Matron.

St. Margaret's Hospital, Epping, Essex (General Training School for Nurses—485 beds). Resident or non-resident. Second of three. Busy general hospital in pleasant surroundings one hour's journey from London. Sister of good experience required.

The Prince of Wales's General Hospital, London, N.15 (320 beds). Resident or non-resident. One of four for Theatres. S.R.N., S.C.M. Experience as a Theatre Staff Nurse essential. Suitable for first Sister's post.

Victoria Hospital, Romford, Essex (General—99 beds). Res. or non-res. Hospital within easy reach of London.

O.P.D. AND CASUALTY SISTER

Hertford County Hospital, Hertford. Resident or non-resident. 44 hour week. Previous experience essential.

SISTER

Rush Green Hospital, Romford (General—301 beds). Junior Sister, female, res. or non-res. For duty in the Poliomyelitis Unit. Hospital within easy reach of London.

DEPARTMENTAL WARD SISTER

W. J. Courtauld Hospital, Braintree, Essex (37 beds). Resident. Female. For General Wards.

WARD SISTERS

Black Notley Hospital, Nr. Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School, General and Orthopaedic—516 beds). Res. or non-res. For Ward of spastic children.

Chingford Hospital, Larkshall Road, Chingford, E.4 (Assistant Nurse Training School—100 beds). Resident or non-resident. For Male Medical Ward of 24 beds.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (I.D., etc.). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., R.F.N.

Essex County Hospital, Lexden Road, Colchester, Essex (Complete Training School for Nurses—179 beds). Res. or non-res. For Female Surgical Ward of 18 beds.

Harwich and District Hospital, Dovercourt (General—40 beds). Resident or non-resident. Preferably with theatre experience.

Harts Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (Tuberculosis and Non-T.B. Chest—198 beds). Resident or non-resident. S.R.N. or S.R.N., B.T.A.

King George Hospital, Eastern Ave., Ilford, Essex (208 beds). Res. or non-res. For Female Surgical and Orthopaedic Ward. Second Ward Sister. (Hospital adjacent to Newbury Park Station—Central London Line—approx. 40 minutes from West End of London and one hour from East Coast).

London Jewish Hospital, Stepney Green, E.1 (General—130 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for Children's Ward. 44 hour week.

Metropolitan Hospital, Kingsland Road, London, E.2 (General—146 beds). Children's Ward Sister. Resident or non-resident. S.R.N. and R.S.C.N. Apply to Matron.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—476 beds). Resident or non-resident. Vacancy for Medical Ward—second post.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (825 beds). Resident or non-resident. Junior post. Required for busy Children's Ward. S.R.N., R.S.C.N. **ALSO** one for Acute Medical Ward. Resident or non-resident.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, Bow, E.3 (General—505 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch (Geriatrics—424 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Mary's Hospital, 14 Pope's Lane, Colchester (Assistant Nurse Training School—171 beds). Resident or non-resident. For Female Geriatric Ward of 28 beds. Modernised Unit.

St. Michael's Hospital, Enfield (Chronic—310 beds). Res. or non-res.

South Lodge Hospital, Winchmore Hill, N.21 (243 beds). Res. or non-res. ONE Junior Sister for E.N.T. ward. Previous E.N.T. experience essential.

Ware Park Hospital, Ware, Herts. (Male Pulmonary T.B. and non-T.B. Chest Diseases—129 beds). Resident or non-resident. S.R.N. and preferably B.T.A.

NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

Training normally lasts **3 years for Student Nurses** and **2 years for Pupil Assistant Nurses** and an allowance of between £299-£336 a year is payable during training, less £128 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Mental Nurse Training Allowance: age 18 £352, 19 £368, 20 £389, less £130 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Aged 21 or over on entry: 1st year £452, 2nd year £473, 3rd year £495, less £158 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Four weeks paid leave per annum. **For full details please apply to the Matron of the hospital concerned.**

BLACK NOTLEY HOSPITAL, BRAINTREE, ESSEX (General and Orthopaedic Training School for Nurses—522 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident. Situated in beautiful surroundings, **BLACK NOTLEY HOSPITAL** is within reach of London by train, with hospital transport for special trips to shows, etc. The hospital has a modern nurses' home, tennis courts and other recreational facilities. Experience in all branches of nursing. Block system of training. 44 hour week in operation. **Girls aged 18 years and over accepted for General Training. Girls aged 17 years and over accepted for two years' training in Orthopaedic Nursing.**

MILE END SCHOOL OF NURSING AND MIDWIFERY, MILE END HOSPITAL, LONDON, E.1 (476 beds). Vacancies for well-educated girls over 18 years of age (also men, non-resident only). Training period includes first 11 weeks in Preliminary Training School. Study day system in force. This is a busy general hospital offering all-round experience, with a pleasant, modern nurses' home. Schools commence 13th July and 5th October, 1961.

MILE END HOSPITAL, LONDON, E.1 (476 beds). **POST-REGISTRATION COURSES.** Vacancies for **MALE** or **FEMALE** Post-registration Students (R.S.C.N., R.M.N., R.N.M.D.) to take two years' general training for S.R.N. Introductory study days arranged on entry. Resident or non-resident.

CHELMSFORD SCHOOL OF NURSING, CHELMSFORD AND ESSEX HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX (General—160 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Schools commence first Monday in June, October and February. Good standard of education required. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, WOOD STREET, CHELMSFORD (409 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Shortened course of training for students holding supplementary certificates. Schools commence first Monday in June, October and February.

HERTS AND ESSEX GENERAL HOSPITAL, BISHOP'S STORTFORD, HERTS. (341 beds). There are vacancies in the training school for **FEMALE STUDENT NURSES.** Three year course includes twelve weeks in Preliminary Training School. Nurses on Supplementary part of Register accepted for two years. Modern accommodation—single bedrooms. Study day and block system of teaching. Hospital situated in pleasant surroundings, good travelling facilities to London and Cambridge. Whitley Council training grant and conditions. Apply Matron.

RUSH GREEN HOSPITAL, ROMFORD (General—301 beds). **STUDENT NURSES** and **POST-REGISTRATION STUDENT NURSES. Female.** Resident. General Training School. Hospital within easy reach of London.

PLAISTOW HOSPITAL, SAMSON STREET, LONDON, E.13 (211 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. For general training in combined General Training School. Good standard of education required. Excellent experience available.

ESSEX COUNTY HOSPITAL, LEXDEN ROAD, COLCHESTER (Complete General Training School—178 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident. Three years' course includes 11 weeks in Preliminary Training School and the block system of study. Nurses on the Supplementary Registers are accepted for two years' training. Good accommodation in nurses' home. Students may be non-resident in third year if they so wish. Training grant and conditions in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations. Colchester is within easy reach of London and the coast. Illustrated brochures on application to Matron.

NORTH MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING AND MIDWIFERY, EDMONTON, LONDON, N.18 (627 beds). Vacancies for well-educated girls 18 years of age and over. Also men, non-resident only. This is a busy general hospital offering all-round experience. Block system of teaching. Pleasant, modern nurses' home. Forty minutes from West End. Schools commence January, May and September.

GERMAN HOSPITAL, E.8 (General—157 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Applications invited from well-educated girls 18 years or over. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training. Day and night staff. Forty-four hour week.

HACKNEY HOSPITAL, E.9 (General—870 beds). Further details from Matron, by whom enquiries will be welcomed.

HERTFORD COUNTY HOSPITAL, HERTFORD, HERTS. There are vacancies for Student Nurses in the complete Training School in September, 1961, and January, 1962. All students have their own room. Forty-four hour week, two days off per week. Study day scheme in operation. R.S.C.N.s, R.M.P.A.s and S.E.A.N.s taken for shortened courses at any time during the year. Training grant and conditions in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations. Complete details can be supplied on application to the Matron.

KING GEORGE HOSPITAL, EASTERN AVENUE, ILFORD, ESSEX (Acute—208 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Vacancies for well-educated girls who wish to become State Registered Nurses. Three years' General Training. Pleasant, modern nurses' home and recreational facilities. The hospital is adjacent to Newbury Park Station—Central London Line—approx. 40 minutes from West End of London and one hour from East Coast.

ST. ANN'S GENERAL HOSPITAL, ST. ANN'S ROAD, TOTTENHAM, N.15 (540 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Two years' training in nursing Infectious Diseases. Chiefly amongst babies and young children. Students prepared for Preliminary and Final State Fever Examinations. Schools commence in January, March, July and October. S.E.N.s accepted for one year's training.

METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, KINGSLAND ROAD, LONDON, E.8. FEMALE Student Nurses required for a period of three years' training in general nursing. Candidates should be 18 years of age or over, with good basic education. Apply to Matron.

LONDON JEWISH HOSPITAL, STEPNEY GREEN, LONDON, E.1 (General—130 beds). Non-denominational. Immediate vacancies for well-educated girls over 18 years of age as Student Nurses. Modern nurses' home and recreational facilities.

CONNAUGHT HOSPITAL, WALTHAMSTOW, E.17 (General Training School for Nurses—123 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Good educational standard required Shortened period of training for nurses whose names are already on part of the Register.

ST. MARGARET'S HOSPITAL, EPPING, ESSEX (General Training School for Nurses—485 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident. Training School in busy general hospital situated in pleasant country surroundings, one hour's journey from London. Attractive residential accommodation. Tennis, riding within easy distance. A good standard of education is required. Five-day (44 hour) week.

HARTS HOSPITAL, WOODFORD GREEN, ESSEX (Tuberculosis and Non-T.B. Chest—100 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Trainees for the Certificate of the Tuberculosis Association. Eighteen years and over. Two years' training for B.T.A. Certificate.

BROOMFIELD HOSPITAL, CHELMSFORD (Affiliated General and British Tuberculosis Association Training School—307 beds). **FEMALE.** Good residential accommodation. Two-year course for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Four-year course General Training and British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

SOUTHEND-ON-SEA SCHOOL OF NURSING. Comprising **The General Hospital, Rochford**—620 beds, and the **General Hospital, Southend-on-Sea**—272 beds. Complete Training School for General Registration. Large busy hospitals in pleasant rural surroundings, within easy reach of London and the sea. Vacancies in Preliminary Training Schools: January, April, July and October each year. Apply to **Superintendent of Nursing** at either hospital.

HAROLD WOOD HOSPITAL, HAROLD WOOD, ESSEX (General Training School—415 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Eighteen years of age and over: three years' course includes twelve weeks in Preliminary Training School. Block system of education. Reduced period for students on Supplementary Register. Eighty-eight hour fortnight in operation. Hospital situated in pleasant surroundings only half an hour distant from London by electric train.

WANSTEAD HOSPITAL, HERMON HILL, E.11 (General Training School for Nurses—195 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. For August and October schools.

EASTERN HOSPITAL, E.9 (Fevers). **MALE** and **FEMALE** Students. Two years for full course; one year for Post-graduate Students.

CHASE FARM HOSPITAL, ENFIELD (General—409 beds). Suitable candidates of 18 years and over, with a keen desire to nurse and a good basic education, are accepted for training at three monthly intervals in January, April, July and October each year. **ALSO** post-graduate Nurses on Supplementary Register and State Enrolled Assistant Nurses accepted for shortened training. **FEMALE** Nurses, resident or non-resident. A busy general hospital, beautifully situated, pleasant airy classrooms, good shopping facilities and within easy reach of London.

VICTORIA HOSPITAL, ROMFORD, ESSEX (General—99 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident. Full particulars on application to Matron.

MENTAL NURSING TRAINING

CLAYBURY HOSPITAL, WOODFORD BRIDGE, WOODFORD GREEN, ESSEX (Psychiatric—2,174 beds). The hospital is situated in beautiful grounds two minutes from the bus route and 45 minutes from London's West End. Excellent training facilities include a Preliminary Training School, followed by study days when the Student is not required to spend any time in the wards. All modern treatments practised. Prospects good for trained staff. Domestic staff employed in wards. Hours: 88 a fortnight on a.m. and p.m. shift system. Four weeks' annual leave. Inter-Hospital Christian Fellowship and Catholic Guild Branches. Excellent social and sporting amenities available. No petty restrictions. Fare refunded on taking up duty. Resident or non-resident. Student Nurses **MALE** and **FEMALE** from the age of 18, to enter for General Nursing Council examination for Mental Nurses. Proficiency allowances paid: £40 on passing Intermediate Examination; £50 on passing Final Examination. Eighteen months' training and special scale of pay for Nurses who have completed General training. Training allowances for female posts are paid monthly, male posts paid weekly. Applications should be made to the **Matron (female applicants) or Chief Male Nurse (male applicants)** at the hospital.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

BISHOP'S STORTFORD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, RYE STREET, BISHOP'S STORTFORD, HERTS. (67 beds). There are vacancies for Pupil Assistant Nurses in the Preliminary Training School for two years' training in all departments of the hospital. Young ladies over 18 years of age, desirous of becoming State Enrolled Assistant Nurses, should write for information to the Matron.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, 14 POPE'S LANE, COLCHESTER (Assistant Nurse Training School—171 beds). **FEMALE.** Eighteen years of age and over. Res. or non-res. Forty-four hour week in operation. Two years' training period. The hospital offers excellent practical experience in general, geriatric, theatre and out-patient facilities, and is within easy reach of London and the coast.

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, HORNCHURCH, ESSEX (Geriatric—424 beds). **FEMALE** (resident or non-resident). **MALE** (non-resident). Illustrated brochure and further details from Matron.

ENFIELD WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, ENFIELD (Acute General—58 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident.

FOREST HOSPITAL, BUCKHURST HILL, ESSEX (Assistant Nurse Training School—44 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Aged 18 years and over. Two-year course, mainly practical. For school commencing May, 1961.

CHADWELL HEATH HOSPITAL, GROVE ROAD, CHADWELL HEATH, ESSEX (I.D., Geriatrics—178 beds). Resident or non-resident. **FEMALE.** Aged 18 years or over. Two years' training.

CHINGFORD HOSPITAL, LARKSHALL ROAD, CHINGFORD, E.4 (Assistant Nurse Training School—100 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Aged 18 years and over. Two-year course, mainly practical, for school commencing May, 1961.

WESTCLIFF HOSPITAL, BALMORAL ROAD, WESTCLIFF-ON-SEA, ESSEX (111 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Over 18 years of age. Course of two years' duration, commencing with four weeks' practical instruction before entering wards. A simple test is made at the end of the first year's training; there are no further examinations. Training allowances: £285 first year and £300 second year. Vacancies May school commencing 23rd May, 1961. Applications to Matron.

HONEY LANE HOSPITAL, WALTHAM ABBEY, ESSEX (120 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident. On the edge of Epping Forest, within easy reach of London. Particularly suitable for nurses who find the theoretical part of General Training difficult, and wish to attempt it later as individual tuition given. An attractive brochure will be sent on request to Matron.

ST. ANN'S GENERAL HOSPITAL, ST. ANN'S ROAD, TOTTENHAM, N.15 (540 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Two years' training for State Enrolment. Varied experience, comfortable home, easy reach of West End and country. Frequent schools throughout year.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, MALDON, ESSEX (256 beds). **FEMALE,** 18-45 years. Resident or non-resident. The Training School is a separate block with modern equipment. Illustrated brochure available on request.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, WOOD STREET, CHELMSFORD. FEMALE. Resident or non-resident. Two-year practical course. Certificate given. Schools commence 1st November, February, May and September.

SOUTH LODGE HOSPITAL, WINCHMORE HILL, N.21 (243 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident.

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NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS—*Contd.*

CHARGE NURSE (MALE)

Ware Park Hospital, Ware, Herts. (Male Pulmonary T.B. and non-T.B. Chest Diseases—129 beds). Resident or non-resident. S.R.N. and preferably B.T.A.

RELIEF SISTERS

East Ham Memorial Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, Forest Gate, E.7 (Acute—201 beds). Resident or non-resident. Relief Ward Sister. Permanent post.

Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, E.2, Shadwell, E.1, and Banstead, Surrey. Female. Res. or non-res. **Applications to Matron at Hackney Road.**

Rush Green Hospital, Romford (General—301 beds). Res. or non-res. Hospital within easy reach of London and country. If non-resident, London Weighting payable.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, E.3 (General—505 beds). Resident or non-resident. Relief Ward Sister. Nurse Training School.

Southend General Hospital, Prittlewell Chase, Southend-on-Sea, Essex (272 beds). Resident or non-resident. Required, full-time, for wards and departments. **Applications to the Superintendent of Nursing.**

STAFF MIDWIVES

Brentwood Maternity Home, Brentwood, Essex (14 beds). Resident or non-resident. Full or part-time.

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General — 409 beds, including 38 Maternity beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. Also part-time staff required.

Hackney Hospital, London, E.9 (870 beds; 100 Maternity). Res. or non-res. Vacancies due to increase in beds and Staff Establishment. 44 hour week.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (476 beds). Res. or non-res. Maternity Department—68 beds. Part I Training School. 44 hour week.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (Maternity Unit — 101 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (709 beds). Staff Midwives, resident or non-resident, required at the above hospital, which includes a Part I Training School of 90 beds. The hospital is within easy reach of London, East Coast and country. Applications to the Matron.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, E.3 (General—505 beds). Resident or non-resident. S.C.M. Part I Training School of 36 beds.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex. Resident or non-resident. Ward Unit—22 beds. Excellent experience in all departments, including Labour Wards. Night and day duty.

St. Peter's Hospital, Maldon, Essex (265 beds). Resident or non-resident. For Maternity Wards.

Wanstead Hospital, Hermon Hill, E.11 (General Training School for Nurses—195 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and S.C.M. or S.C.M. only.

W. J. Courtauld Hospital, Braintree, Essex (37 beds). Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Chase Farm Hospital, Enfield (General — 409 beds, including 38 Maternity). Resident. S.R.N. Vacancies on courses commencing 1st August, 1961, and 1st November, 1961. Two week Preliminary course of instruction prior to commencement of main course.

East End Maternity Hospital, 384-398 Commercial Road, London, E.1 (58 beds). Part I Midwifery Training School. Res. or non-res. Vacancies occur for Pupils S.R.N. or R.S.C.N., on 1st August and November, 1961. 44 hour week. (No vacancies for overseas pupils until 1962.)

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (Part I Midwifery Training School — Maternity Unit of 69 beds). Res. or non-res. Vacancies 28th October, 1961. Good practical training with lectures by Consultant Staff. Obstetric Analgesia training. Hospital is pleasantly and conveniently situated in the East End of London.

PUPIL MIDWIVES—*Contd.*

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (Part I Midwifery Training School). Lectures, including analgesia, by Consultant Staff. Resident Midwifery Tutor. Study day, preparatory course in classroom before commencement of training. Vacancies occur January, April, July and October. Applications to the Matron.

Rochford General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (620 beds). Part I Training School of 75 beds with Premature Baby Unit attached. Vacancies November, 1961, and in 1962. Pre-Training instruction week and shift duty system in force. **Applications to Midwifery Superintendent.**

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (77 beds). Resident. Part I Midwifery Training. Courses commence 1st February, May, August and November.

St. Margaret's Hospital, Epping, Essex (General Training School for Nurses—485 beds). Resident. Pupil Midwives for Part II Midwifery Training. This is a training school in pleasant country district near large town and therefore offers excellent experience. Vacancies occur in June, September and December, 1961.

The Bearsted Memorial Hospital, (Jewish Maternity Hospital), The Green, Hampton Court, Middlesex. Midwifery Training School. Pupil Midwives prepared for Part I Examination of the Central Midwives' Board at this hospital in pleasant surroundings within easy reach of the West End. Obstetric and paediatric lectures by Specialists. Resident Midwife Teacher. Vacancies occur in February, May, August and November.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Black Notley Hospital, Nr. Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School, General and Orthopaedic—516 beds). Res. or non-res.

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Modern Hospital—307 beds). Resident or non-resident. Required for modern Theatre, mainly thoracic work. Opportunity to take B.T.A. Certificate.

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield (409 beds). Res. or non-res. Full or part-time.

East Ham Memorial Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, Forest Gate, E.7 (Acute—201 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Hertford County Hospital, Hertford, Herts. Resident or non-resident. For Operating Theatre. Five day week.

London Jewish Hospital, Stepney Green, E.1 (General—130 beds). Res. or non-res. 44 hour week.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (709 beds). Resident posts. Also one required holding Ophthalmic Diploma. The hospital is within easy reach of town and country, and travel to London is by fast electric railway (20 mins.). Applications to the Matron.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Road, E.14 (General—120 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, London, E.2, Shadwell, London, E.1, Banstead, Surrey. Res. or non-res. For duties at **Hackney Road.**

Rochford General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (620 beds). Resident or non-resident. For busy Operating Theatre. **Applications to the Superintendent of Nursing.**

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—*Contd.*

South Lodge Hospital, Winchmore Hill, N.21 (243 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Southend General Hospital, Prittlewell Chase, Southend-on-Sea, Essex (272 beds). Resident or non-resident. Required for busy Operating Theatre. Six months' Theatre Course. **Applications to the Superintendent of Nursing.**

Victoria Hospital, Romford, Essex (General—99 beds). Res. or non-res. Hospital within easy reach of London.

Wanstead Hospital, Hermon Hill, E.11 (General Training School for Nurses—195 beds). Resident or non-resident. For busy General Theatre. Immediate vacancy.

MILE END HOSPITAL, BANCROFT ROAD, E.1

STAFF NURSES (resident or non-resident) required for Medical, Surgical, Gynaecological and Children's Wards. Also vacancies for night duty. Three nights off per week.

Further particulars apply to Matron.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Modern Hospital—307 beds). Resident or non-resident. Required for modern Theatre, mainly thoracic work. Opportunity to take B.T.A. Certificate.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Road, E.14 (General—120 beds). Non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Black Notley Hospital, Nr. Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School, General and Orthopaedic—516 beds). Res. or non-res. For General Wards.

Brentwood District Hospital, Brentwood, Essex (62 beds). Res. or non-res. For Children's Ward, Female Ward and Operating Theatre. **ALSO** for part-time night duty—two or three nights weekly.

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Modern Hospital—307 beds). Res. or non-res. Also with B.T.A. Certificate.

Chadwell Heath Hospital, Grove Road, Chadwell Heath, Essex (I.D. and Geriatrics — 178 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. Full or part-time.

Chase Farm Hospital, Enfield (General—409 beds). Resident or non-resident. S.R.N., full or part-time for General, Surgical, Medical and Ophthalmic Wards, and Casualty night duty.

Chingford Hospital, Larkshall Road, Chingford, E.4 (Assistant Nurse Training School—100 beds). Resident or non-resident. Required for both medical and post-operative wards.

Connaught Hospital, Walthamstow, E.17 (General Training School for Nurses—123 beds). Resident or non-resident. Required in Casualty and O.P.D. or Wards.

CHELMSFORD SCHOOL OF NURSING

SISTER TUTOR, resident or non-resident, for Student training. One of three, to work with Principal. Three Preliminary Training Schools per year. Block system of training.

Further details and application forms from **Matron in Charge of School, St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex.**

Hertford County Hospital, Hertford, Herts. Resident or non-resident. For Operating Theatre. Five day week.

London Jewish Hospital, Stepney Green, E.1 (General—130 beds). Res. or non-res. 44 hour week.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (709 beds). Resident posts. Also one required holding Ophthalmic Diploma. The hospital is within easy reach of town and country, and travel to London is by fast electric railway (20 mins.). Applications to the Matron.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Road, E.14 (General—120 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, London, E.2, Shadwell, London, E.1, Banstead, Surrey. Res. or non-res. For duties at **Hackney Road.**

Rochford General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (620 beds). Resident or non-resident. For busy Operating Theatre. **Applications to the Superintendent of Nursing.**

Dagenham Hospital, Rainham Road South, Dagenham, Essex (T.B. with one Temp. Geriatric Ward—145 beds). Res. or non-res B.T.A. training offered.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (I.D., etc.). Res. or non-res.

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Chase Side, Enfield (Acute General—58 beds). Resident or non-resident. S.R.N.

Forest Hospital, Buckhurst Hill, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School — 44 beds). Resident or non-resident. For both Theatre and Casualty and for Private Wards; and **ONE** for night duty, resident or non-resident.

German Hospital, E.8 (General — 157 beds). Resident or non-resident. Staff Nurses are offered excellent experience on the Wards and Departments of this busy acute general hospital.

Hackney Hospital, Homerton, E.9 (870 beds). Res. or non-res. For day and night duty. Also Staff Nurses, S.R.N., S.C.N. for Children's Ward.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—*Contd.*

Harold Wood Hospital, Harold Wood, Essex (General Training School — 4[illegible] beds). Resident or non-resident. For Children's Ward, night duty—four nights weekly; full-time. Casualty, for night duty. Full or part-time for General Wards, day and night duty.

Heath Hospital, Tendring, Nr. Clacton-on-Sea, Essex (Chronic Sick—143 beds). Resident or non-resident. **TWO** required. Flat available for married couple.

Hertford County Hospital, Hertford, Herts. Resident or non-resident. For Out-patient Department. Five day week.

Herts and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (341 beds). Resident or non-resident. S.R.N. Ophthalmic Certificate or experience. For new unit to be opened.

High Wood Hospital, Brentwood, Essex. Resident or non-resident. Full and part-time for day or night duty. **ALSO** Staff Nurses. Resident or non-resident. For and part-time for Geriatric Wards.

King George Hospital, Eastern Avenue, Ilford, Essex (Acute—208 beds). Res. or non-res. Busy general hospital offering excellent experience in acute work. Hospital adjacent to Newbury Park Station—Central London Line—approx. 40 minutes from West End of London and one hour from East Coast.

London Jewish Hospital, Stepney Green, E.1 (General—130 beds). Res. or non-res. For acute Medical and Surgical Wards and relief duties. Full-time and part-time. Also vacancies for night duty. 44 hour week.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General — 825 beds). Resident or non-resident. General, Theatre (certificate issued on completion of six months' experience), Casualty Department.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General Training School — 709 beds). Res. **ALSO** one for Neurosurgical Unit Ward Unit—26 beds. Hospital is within easy reach of the East Coast, London and country.

Plaistow Hospital, Samson Street, London, E.13 (211 beds). Resident or non-resident. For Medical and Fever Wards. Combined General Training School with Queen Mary's and St. Mary's Hospitals.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Road, E.14 (General—120 beds). Resident or non-resident. Children's Ward.

Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, London, E.2, Shadwell, London, E.1, and Banstead, Surrey. Staff Nurses for Wards. Res. or non-res. For duties at Hackney Road, Shadwell or Banstead, but **applications to Matron, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Hackney Road, London, E.2.**

Rochford General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (620 beds). Resident or non-resident. For General and Geriatric Wards. **ALSO** suitably qualified staff for Chest Unit. **Applications to the Superintendent of Nursing.**

Rush Green Hospital, Romford (General—301 beds). Res. or non-res. For General duty. Hospital within easy reach of London. If non-resident, London Weighting payable.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, E.3 (General—505 beds). Resident or non-resident. For General Wards and Theatre.

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch, Essex (Geriatrics — 424 beds). Res. or non-res. For night duty.

St. Leonard's Hospital, Nuttall Street, London, N.1 (General—192 beds). Full-time in wards. Day and night duty. Resident or non-resident. Apply to Matron.

St. Mary's Hospital, 14 Pope's Lane, Colchester (Assistant Nurse Training School—171 beds). Resident or non-resident. For Medical and Surgical Wards.

St. Matthew's Hospital, Shepherdess Walk, London, N.1. There are vacancies for **TWO** Staff Nurses in this Assistant Nurse Training School. Apply to Matron.

St. Michael's Hospital, Rayne Road, Braintree, Essex (201 beds). Resident or non-resident.

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Side Crescent, Enfield, Middlesex (Chronic — 310 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

South Lodge Hospital, Winchmore Hill, London, N.21 (General and I.D. — 3[illegible] beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. for General and E.N.T. Wards. Also for Surgical Wards.

NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS—*Contd.*

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Southend General Hospital, Prittlewell Chase, Southend-on-Sea, Essex (272 beds). Resident or non-resident. Required for Wards. **All applications to the Superintendent of Nursing.**

Victoria Hospital, Romford, Essex (General—99 beds). Res. or non-res. For duty in the Male Ward. Hospital within easy reach of London.

Wanstead Hospital, Hermon Hill, E.11 (General Training School for Nurses — 195 beds). Resident or non-resident. For both Surgical and Medical Wards.

War Memorial Hospital, Farm Hill Road, Waltham Abbey, Essex (25 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

Westcliff Hospital, Balmoral Road, Westcliff-on-Sea, Essex (111 beds). Resident or non-resident. For General Medical Ward.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Chadwell Heath Hospital, Grove Road, Chadwell Heath, Essex (I.D. and Geriatrics — 178 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Dagenham Hospital, Rainham Road South, Dagenham, Essex (T.B. with one Temp. Geriatric Ward—145 beds). Res. or non-res. B.T.A. training offered.

Heath Hospital, Tendring, Nr. Clacton-on-Sea, Essex (Chronic Sick—143 beds). Resident or non-resident. **TWO** required. Flat available for married couple.

High Wood Hospital, Brentwood, Essex. Resident or non-resident. Full or part-time for day or night duty. **ALSO** Staff Nurses, resident or non-resident. Full or part-time for Geriatric Wards.

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch, Essex (Geriatrics — 424 beds). Non-res. Additional staff required for opening of further beds.

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Modern Hospital—307 beds). Res. or non-res. **FEMALE** Staff Nurses. Post-graduate Course for B.T.A. Certificate one year. Examinations: May and November.

St. Ann's General Hospital, St. Ann's Road, Tottenham, N.15 (540 beds). Resident or non-resident. **Post-graduate Course in Nursing of Respiratory Paralysis.** Well-planned and interesting courses of two months' duration for State Registered Nurses, Registered Fever Nurses, or Registered Sick Children's Nurses, in the Nursing Care of Respiratory Paralysis will commence in the Respiratory Unit on alternate months throughout the year. Each course will be limited to ten nurses. The practical aspect of the work will be emphasised including the detailed care of patients undergoing positive and negative pressure respiration, combined with formal lectures and instruction in the use of respiratory equipment. A certificate will be issued on completion of the course, which should be of particular value to nurses from abroad, or those intending to work abroad. Salary and conditions of service as for Staff Nurses. Please write to Matron for details of curriculum.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex. Courses in **Premature Baby Care. Theatre.** Six months' duration for S.R.N.s, S.C.M.s or S.E.A.N.s. Certificate given. Resident or non-resident. Schools commence 1st May, 1st August, 1st November.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Black Notley Hospital, Nr. Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School, General and Orthopaedic—516 beds). Res. or non-res.

Brentwood District Hospital, Brentwood, Essex (62 beds). Resident or non-resident. General duties—Wards and Theatre. **ALSO** for part-time night duty—two or three nights weekly.

Brentwood Maternity Home, Brentwood, Essex (14 beds). Resident or non-resident. Part-time night duty.

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (311 beds). **ONE** for General Post-operative wards and **ONE** for Thoracic Surgery. Also S.E.A.N. with B.T.A. Certificate. Opportunity to train for same. Resident or non-resident.

Chadwell Heath Hospital, Grove Road, Chadwell Heath, Essex (I.D. and Geriatrics—178 beds). Res. or non-res. Full or part-time.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield (409 beds). Non-resident. State enrolled, full or part-time.

Chingford Hospital, Larkshall Road, Chingford, E.4 (Assistant Nurse Training School—100 beds). Resident or non-resident. For Medical and Post-operative Wards.

Clacton Maternity Hospital, Skelmersdale Road, Clacton-on-Sea, Essex (16 beds). Res. or non-res. For day duty, but able to relieve night duty holidays.

Connaught Hospital, Walthamstow, E.17 (General Training School for Nurses—123 beds). Non-resident. S.E.A.N.

Dagenham Hospital, Rainham Road South, Dagenham, Essex (T.B. with one Temp. Geriatric Ward—145 beds). Res. or non-res. Also S.E.A.N.s, res. or non-res. B.T.A. training offered.

East Ham Memorial Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, Forest Gate, E.7 (Acute—201 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (I.D., etc). Res. or non-res.

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Enfield, Middlesex (Acute General — 58 beds). Res. or non-res.

Forest Hospital, Buckhurst Hill, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School — 44 beds). Resident or non-resident. For Wards.

Harold Wood Hospital, Harold Wood, Essex (General Training School — 415 beds). Resident or non-resident. For Wards—day or night duty.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, London, E.2, Shadwell, London, E.1, Banstead, Surrey. Non-res. For night duty at **Hackney Road.**

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, E.3 (General—505 beds). Resident or non-resident.

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch, Essex (Geriatrics — 424 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex. Resident or non-resident. For General Wards.

St. Matthew's Hospital, Shepherdess Walk, London, N.1. TWO female State Enrolled Assistant Nurses required in this Assistant Nurse Training School. Apply to Matron.

St. Michael's Hospital Chase Side Crescent, Enfield, Middlesex (Chronic — 310 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Peter's Hospital, Maldon, Essex (140 beds). Res. or non-res. For Chronic Sick Wards.

South Lodge Hospital, Winchmore Hill, London, N.21 (General and I.D. — 243 beds). Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Chingford Hospital, Larkshall Road, Chingford, E.4 (Assistant Nurse Training School—100 beds). Non-resident. For Medical and Post-operative Wards.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)—Contd.

Heath Hospital, Tendring, Nr. Clacton-on-Sea, Essex (Chronic Sick—143 beds). Resident or non-resident. **TWO** required. Flat available for married couple.

High Wood Hospital, Brentwood, Essex. Resident or non-resident. Full or part-time, for day or night duty.

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch, Essex (Geriatrics—424 beds). Non-res.

NURSING AUXILIARIES (FEMALE)

Black Notley Hospital, Nr. Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School, General and Orthopaedic—516 beds). Res. or non-res.

Brentwood Maternity Home, Brentwood, Essex (14 beds). Resident or non-resident. Part-time day or night duty.

Connaught Hospital, Walthamstow, E.17 (General Training School for Nurses — 123 beds). Non-resident. Nursing experience essential.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (I.D., etc.). Res. or non-res.

High Wood Hospital, Brentwood, Essex. Resident or non-resident. Full or part-time, for day or night duty.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—476 beds). Non-res. 44 hour week.

Myland Hospital, Mill Road, Colchester (179 beds, mainly General). Res. or non-res. Salary and conditions of service in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General—825 beds). Resident or non-resident. For Maternity and General Wards. Also at **Tower Maternity Annexe, The Bishop's Avenue, N.2** (23 beds), and at **Southgate Annexe, Tottenhall Road, N.13** (Female Chronic—73 beds).

NURSERY NURSES

St. Andrew's Hospital, Devons Road, E.3 (505 beds). Res. or non-res. Part I Midwifery School (36 beds).

QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN
HACKNEY ROAD, LONDON, E.2

SISTER TUTOR required for Group Preliminary Training School at **Banstead, Surrey.** R.S.C.N. is not essential.

Please apply to Matron, as above.

Harts Hospital, Woodford Green, Essex (Tuberculosis and Non-T.B. Chest—100 beds). Resident or non-resident. Day or night duty.

Heath Hospital, Tendring, Nr. Clacton-on-sea, Essex (Chronic Sick—143 beds). Resident or non-resident. Also **TWO** required. Resident or non-resident. Flat available for married couple.

Herts and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (341 beds). Resident or non-resident.

High Wood Hospital, Brentwood, Essex. Resident or non-resident. Full or part-time for day or night duty.

King George Hospital, Eastern Ave., Ilford, Essex (Acute—208 beds). Res. or non-res. Experience in acute medical and surgical nursing required. Day or night duty. Hospital is adjacent to Newbury Park Station—Central London Line—approximately 40 minutes from West End of London and one hour from East Coast.

London Jewish Hospital, Stepney Green, E.1 (General—130 beds). Res. or non-res. 44 hour week.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—476 beds). Non-res. For Acute Medical and Surgical Wards. Also required for night duty. 44 hour week.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General — 825 beds). Resident or non-resident. Full and part-time. Also at **Tower Maternity Annexe, The Bishop's Avenue, N.2** (23 beds), and **Southgate Annexe, Tottenhall Road, N.13** (Female Chronics—73 beds). Full and part-time.

Ongar War Memorial Hospital, Ongar, Essex (General—Medical and Maternity—24 beds). Resident or non-resident. Night duty—four nights weekly.

Plaistow Hospital, Samson Street, London, E.13 (211 beds). Resident or non-resident. Full or part-time.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Road, E.14 (General—120 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Dagenham Hospital, Rainham Road South, Dagenham, Essex (T.B. with one Temp. Geriatric Ward—145 beds). Res. or non-res. Also S.E.A.N.s, res. or non-res. B.T.A. training offered.

Harold Wood Hospital, Harold Wood, Essex (General Training School — 415 beds). Resident or non-resident. For Wards—day or night duty.

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

WARD SISTERS

Severalls Hospital, Colchester. The hospital is being divided into units and extra Ward Sisters are required. Sisters work a 44 hour week from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. with one evening on duty each week. Post-graduate lectures given by medical staff and refresher courses available both in and away from the hospital. Resident or non-resident. Applications to **Matron,** who will be pleased to give more details and would welcome candidates to the hospital. Accommodation can be offered to those wishing to stay overnight.

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

Severalls Hospital, Colchester. The hospital is being divided into units and Deputy Ward Sisters are required. Shift system in operation. Good prospects of promotion. Post-graduate lectures given and periodic refresher courses. Resident or non-resident. Applications to **Matron,** who will be pleased to give more details and would welcome candidates to the hospital. Accommodation can be offered to those wishing to stay overnight.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTER

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (825 beds). Resident or non-resident. Ward Sister for Holiday Relief for Psychiatric Unit.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Leytonstone House, High Road, London, E.11 (Mental Deficiency — 366 beds). Resident or non-resident.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General — 825 beds). Res. or non-res.

Rochford General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (620 beds). Resident or non-resident. Required for small Psychiatric Unit. **Applications to the Superintendent of Nursing.**

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch. Res. or non-res. For duty in **Ingrebourne Centre** (Neurosis Unit).

REGISTERED MENTAL NURSE

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (General — 825 beds). **Female. Resident** or non-resident. For night duty.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Street, Edmonton, N.18 (825 beds). Non-resident.

OXFORD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

(43 BANBURY ROAD, OXFORD)

Berkshire, Buckinghamshire, Northamptonshire, Oxfordshire, and parts of Gloucestershire and Wiltshire

Applications are invited for the following appointments, which should be sent, with details of age, training, qualifications and experience, to the Matron of the appropriate hospital, from whom further details may be obtained. National salary scales apply.

Inquiries about other posts and training facilities should be addressed to the Board's Nursing Officer.

MATRON

WOKINGHAM HOSPITAL, WOKINGHAM, BERKS.
Applications are invited for the above post which becomes vacant on the 30th June, due to the retirement of the present holder. Wokingham Hospital has 152 beds, including chronic sick, geriatric, paediatric and maternity, and participates in a training school for Pupil Assistant Nurses. It also provides accommodation for Part III residents under the National Assistance Acts. Recent developments include a modern, 32 bedded general practitioner maternity unit opened on the 19th January, and an active treatment geriatric unit with full facilities. Application forms to be obtained from the Group Secretary, Readng and District Hospital Management Committee, 3 Craven Road, Reading.

ASSISTANT MATRON

NORTHAMPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, NORTHAMPTON
(545 beds). First Assistant Matron (the establishment includes a Deputy Matron) which will become vacant shortly. Please apply, with full details, in writing, to Miss M. E. Coombe, Matron.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

RIVERMEAD HOSPITAL, ABINGDON ROAD, OXFORD
For the above hospital which is a Rehabilitation Unit situated on the outskirts of the City of Oxford. Extensive developments now in progress include the erection of an industrial rehabilitation workshop, which is one of the first of its kind in the country. The successful candidate will be required to act as a deputy to the Assistant Matron in charge of the unit, and will be eligible to apply for the senior appointment on the retirement of the present holder of the post in December, 1961. Detailed applications should be sent to the Group Secretary, Littlemore Hospital, Littlemore, near Oxford, by 12th May, 1961.

NIGHT SISTERS (In Sole Charge)

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, WALLINGFORD, BERKS.
(Maternity—17 beds).

WALLINGFORD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, WALLINGFORD, BERKS.
(General—18 beds).

NIGHT SISTERS

BATTLE HOSPITAL, READING
(Mainly General—376 beds). Resident or non-resident.

PEPPARD CHEST HOSPITAL, HENLEY-ON-THAMES
(Regional Thoracic Centre—236 beds). One of two working under Night Superintendent. Experience in pulmonary tuberculosis and thoracic surgery an advantage, but B.T.A. Certificate may be taken here.

THEATRE SISTERS

NORTHAMPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, NORTHAMPTON
(545 beds). Experienced Theatre Sister for night duty in the General Operating Theatres.

PEPPARD CHEST HOSPITAL, HENLEY-ON-THAMES
(Regional Thoracic Centre—236 beds). Urgently required, with experience of thoracic work. British Tuberculosis Association Certificate an advantage, but training can be taken here.

ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSPITAL, READING
(General—328 beds). For Gynaecological Theatre.

WALLINGFORD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, WALLINGFORD
(18 beds).

WARD SISTERS

FREELAND HOSPITAL, FREELAND, Nr. WITNEY, OXON.
(Convalescent—62 beds). Ward Sister. Resident or non-resident.

KETTERING AND DISTRICT GENERAL HOSPITAL, ROTHWELL ROAD KETTERING
For a Female Surgical Ward of 28 beds dealing with general surgery and gynaecological emergencies. Excellent experience available. Forty-four hour week in operation. Detailed applications to Senior Matron.

MANFIELD ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, NORTHAMPTON
After Care Sister. S.R.N. Orthopaedic Certificate essential. Vacancy due to transfer.

PEPPARD CHEST HOSPITAL, HENLEY-ON-THAMES
(Regional Thoracic Centre—236 beds). Ward Sister urgently required for Assessment Ward for male and female patients. Candidates holding the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate and with experience in pulmonary tuberculosis and other diseases of the chest, an advantage, though training for the B.T.A. Certificate may be taken here. Forty-four hour week in operation.

ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSPITAL, READING
(General—328 beds). Sister for Tonsil Ward and Audiology Research Unit.

SANDLEFORD HOSPITAL, NEWBURY, BERKS.
(Chronic Sick and Maternity—118 beds). Ward Sister for 28 bedded ward for chronic sick, modernised and part of training scheme for S.E.A.N. Please apply to Matron, Newbury District Hospital.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

BLAGRAVE HOSPITAL, READING
(Convalescent—60 beds). Apply Matron, Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading.

CIRENCESTER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, GLOS.
(General—68 beds). From 1st June for an indefinite period. Resident or non-resident. Busy General Hospital. Enrolled Nurse Training School. Furnished bed-sitting room available at nominal rent, if required. Apply immediately to Matron.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

CIRENCESTER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, GLOS.
(General—68 beds). Male for busy Theatre—all branches of surgery undertaken. Nicely furnished bed-sitting room may be rented at very reasonable charge; short distance from hospital, or residence can be arranged.

STAFF NURSES (Female)

ABINGDON HOSPITAL, ABINGDON, BERKS.
For Medical Ward. Resident or non-resident.

BATTLE HOSPITAL, READING
(Mainly General—376 beds). For Area Accident Service-Unit duties in Casualty Department, Wards and Theatres (busy department providing excellent experience). Premature Baby Unit of 18 cots. Staff Nurse with Premature Baby Certificate. Geriatric, Medical and Rehabilitation for Male and Female Wards and Out-patient Departments. Also for resuscitation cubicles, Orthopaedic Unit. The hospital is situated in very pleasant surroundings within easy reach of London and Oxford by bus or train.

BLAGRAVE HOSPITAL, READING
(Convalescent—60 beds). For Women's Ward (Surgical) and Male Surgical Ward. Apply to Matron, Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading.

COLD ASH CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, Nr. NEWBURY, BERKS.
S.R.N. or R.S.C.N.

NEITHROP HOSPITAL, BANBURY, OXON.
(Chronic Sick—94 beds).

NEWBURY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, NEWBURY, BERKS.
(General—90 beds). For busy Female Surgical Ward of 28 beds. Experience in surgical and gynaecological nursing may be obtained.

NUFFIELD ORTHOPAEDIC CENTRE (WINGFIELD MORRIS ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL), HEADINGTON, OXFORD
(Orthopaedic—234 beds). For duty in Operating Theatre and Anaesthetic Room. Full or part-time. Resident or non-resiednt.

PINES HOSPITAL, BANBURY, OXON.
(T.B.—25; I.D.—12 beds).

PROSPECT PARK HOSPITAL, READING, BERKS.
(General and I.D.—104 beds). For Infectious Diseases and Medical Wards. Apply Matron, Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading.

ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSPITAL, READING
(General—328 beds). Staff Nurses for Female Surgical Wards and for night duty.

WALLINGFORD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, WALLINGFORD, BERKS.
(General—18 beds). For night duty, also one for Theatre.

STAFF NURSES (Male)

BATTLE HOSPITAL, READING
(Mainly General—376 beds). For Accident and Orthopaedic Theatre.

PEPPARD CHEST HOSPITAL, HENLEY-ON-THAMES
(236 beds). For busy Thoracic Wards. Experience in thoracic surgery an advantage, but training in the specialised work may be taken at the hospital.

POST REGISTRATION COURSES

READING DISTRICT COMBINED HOSPITALS, MATERNITY UNIT
Premature Baby Unit offers three months' course in the nursing of premature babies, under modern conditions, to State Registered Sick Children's Nurses or State Certified Midwives. Apply Matron, Battle Hospital, Reading.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BATTLE HOSPITAL, READING
(Mainly General—376 beds). **Day or night duty** for Medical, Rehabilitation, Orthopaedic and Accident Wards and for Maternity Unit.

BLAGRAVE HOSPITAL, READING
(Convalescent—60 beds). For night duty. Apply Matron, Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading.

HORTON MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BANBURY, OXON.
(35 beds). Opened March, 1961. Applications to Matron, Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon.

NEITHROP HOSPITAL, BANBURY, OXON.
(Chronic Sick—94 beds).

PEPPARD CHEST HOSPITAL, HENLEY-ON-THAMES, OXON.
(Chest Diseases—236 beds). Male or female required for busy Thoracic Wards. Experience in thoracic surgery an advantage, but training in the specialised work may be taken at the hospital.

PINES HOSPITAL, BANBURY, OXON.
(T.B.—25; I.D.—12 beds).

PROSPECT PARK HOSPITAL, READING, BERKS.
(General and I.D.—104 beds). For Night duty. Apply Matron, Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading.

ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSPITAL, READING
(General—328 beds). For day and night duty.

SANDLEFORD HOSPITAL, NEWBURY, BERKS.
(Chronic Sick and Maternity—118 beds). For Chronic Sick Wards and Maternity.

WOKINGHAM HOSPITAL, WOKINGHAM, BERKS.
(Chronic Sick and Maternity—152 beds). For Chronic Sick and also for Maternity.

OXFORD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

MIDWIFERY SUPERINTENDENT

HORTON MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BANBURY, OXON.
With Midwifery Teacher's Diploma required for the above **New Maternity Hospital** of 35 beds. It is expected that it will become a Part II Midwifery Training School. The successful candidate will be required to take up duty as soon as possible after appointment. This most modern new maternity hospital is delightfully situated on the southern side of Banbury, which is due to expand during the course of the next ten years, and is within easy reach of Oxford, Stratford-on-Avon, and the Cotswold Hills. Main line train services to London and Birmingham. Applications to the Matron, Horton General Hospital, Banbury, as soon as possible.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

BICESTER COTTAGE HOSPITAL, OXON.
(Maternity—10 beds).

HORTON MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BANBURY, OXON.
For new unit of 35 beds. Applications to Matron of Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon.

NORTHAMPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL
(Barratt Maternity Home—73 beds). Opportunities for newly qualified staff and for more senior staff, preferably with Labour Ward experience. Forty-four hour week. Resident or non-resident. Please apply to Matron, Barratt Maternity Home, Northampton.

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, WALLINGFORD, BERKS.
(Maternity—17 beds).

SANDLEFORD HOSPITAL, NEWBURY, BERKS.
(Chronic Sick and Maternity—118 beds). Two required. For busy modern unit of 17 beds. Resident or non-resident. Apply Matron, Newbury District Hospital, Newbury, Berks.

WOKINGHAM HOSPITAL, WOKINGHAM, BERKS.
(Chronic Sick and Maternity—152 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

BICESTER COTTAGE HOSPITAL, OXON.
(Maternity—10 beds).

BRACKLEY COTTAGE HOSPITAL, NORTHANTS.
(Maternity—4 beds). Willing to help on general side.

DELLWOOD MATERNITY HOME, LIEBENROOD ROAD, READING
(17 beds).

READING COMBINED HOSPITALS MATERNITY UNIT
Part II Training School. Apply Battle Hospital, Reading.

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, WALLINGFORD, BERKS.
(Maternity—17 beds).

WOKINGHAM HOSPITAL, WOKINGHAM, BERKS.
(Chronic Sick and Maternity—152 beds). Two required.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

BATTLE HOSPITAL, READING
(Mainly General—376 beds). Part II.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

HORTON MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BANBURY, OXON.
(35 beds). Opened March, 1961. Applications to Matron, Horton General Hospital, Banbury, Oxon.

WOKINGHAM HOSPITAL, WOKINGHAM, BERKS.
(Chronic Sick and Maternity—152 beds).

MENTAL AND MENTAL DEFICIENCY NURSING APPOINTMENTS

ASSISTANT MATRON

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, STONE, Nr. AYLESBURY, BUCKINGHAMSHIRE
(Psychiatric—865 beds). Applications are invited for the appointment of **Female Assistant Matron** at the above hospital, following an increase in establishment. Applicants should be interested in education at all levels and in young people. Detailed applications, together with the names of three referees, should be addressed to the Group Secretary at St. John's Hospital, from whom any further information may be obtained.

STUDENT NURSES

Vacancies for Student Nurses are available at the following hospitals. Please apply to the Matron of the hospital concerned.

HORTON GENERAL HOSPITAL TRAINING SCHOOL, BANBURY, OXON.
School terms begin April, September and January. Resident or non-resident.

NORTHAMPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, NORTHAMPTON
(540 beds). Applications are invited from girls aged 18 or over for General Nurse Training. Block study system of education. Forty-four hour week. Modern Nurses' Home. Apply to Matron for illustrated brochure.

PEPPARD CHEST HOSPITAL, HENLEY-ON-THAMES, OXON.
(Regional Thoracic Surgical Centre—236 beds). Vacancies for well-educated women and men students. All types of treatment for pulmonary T.B., including Major Thoracic Surgical Unit for T.B. and non-Tuberculosis diseases of the chest. Training School under G.N.C. (special three years' training, one year in the Chest Hospital, and two years in a General Hospital). Hospital is also two years' Training School for British T.A. Certificate, one year of which counts towards General Training.

READING COMBINED HOSPITALS TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES
comprising **Royal Berkshire, Battle and Prospect Park Hospitals.** Applications are invited from well-educated young ladies (18-32 years) to train as Nurses. Nurses on Supplementary Part of the Register accepted for two years' training. **Block** system of training has been adopted. Central Preliminary School eight week course. Vacancies June and October, 1961. Apply Matron, Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading.

ROYAL BUCKINGHAMSHIRE AND ASSOCIATED HOSPITALS' SCHOOL OF NURSING
Comprising Royal Buckinghamshire, Stoke Mandeville and Tindal General Hospitals (471 beds in the General Training School). Applications are invited from girls of 18 and over, for General Training. Block system of education. Excellent practical experience. Modern teaching unit and nurses' residence. Forty-four hour week. Post-registration students accepted for two years' training. Apply to the Senior Matron, Stoke Mandeville Hospital, Aylesbury, for illustrated brochure.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

NEWBURY HOSPITALS COMPONENT TRAINING SCHOOL
Excellent experience in acute general hospital and in geriatric nursing. Apply Matron, Newbury District Hospital, Newbury, Berks.

PEPPARD CHEST HOSPITAL, HENLEY-ON-THAMES, OXON.
(Regional Thoracic Surgical Centre—236 beds). The hospital has recently been approved by the General Nursing Council as an Assistant Nurse Training School. This type of practical training is particularly suitable for nurses who find the theoretical part of General Training difficult. This is a well-equipped, attractive hospital with a new Teaching Unit. The hospital is set on the spur of the Chiltern Hills, within easy reach of Reading and other large towns. Applications are invited from suitable male and female pupils between the ages of 18 and 45 years for a very interesing and widely varied two-year course of training, which includes the nursing of geriatric cases. Schools commence 1st September. Resident or non-resident. A caravan site is available in the hospital grounds.

WALLINGFORD HOSPITALS ASSISTANT NURSE TRAINING SCHOOL
Applications to Matron, St. Mary's Hospital, Wallingford, Berks.

WOKINGHAM HOSPITAL, WOKINGHAM, BERKS.
(Chronic Sick and Maternity—152 beds). (3)

PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES—Continued

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

MIDWIFERY AND HOME NURSING SERVICE

Applications are invited for the following posts. District Nurse trained an advantage. Accommodation may be furnished or unfurnished. Present holiday arrangements honoured. Cars provided or allowance given for own car.

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT for:
Slough Nurses' Home (Housekeeper employed). District nursing and domiciliary midwifery undertaken. Affiliated Part II Training School for Pupil Midwives. Duties include supervision of District Nurses and Midwives in South Bucks. Facilities available to take the Midwife Teacher's Diploma. Salary scale £730 to £861 per annum, less £225 per annum for board lodging.

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIVES for:
Chalfont St. Peter; Chalfont St. Giles. Suitable for friends. House available. Car drivers essential.
Ivar Heath. Rural area. House available. Car driver essential.
Newport Pagnell. Six-roomed house available. Light midwifery case load. Car driver or willing to learn.

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIFE/HEALTH VISITORS for:
Tingewick (North Bucks). House nearing completion. Car driver essential.
Whitchurch (Nr. Aylesbury). House available. Car driver essential.

AREA RELIEF NURSES (graded District Midwives) for:
Westcott; Winslow. To relieve groups of four or five Nurses in rural areas for holidays and sickness and, when not engaged on these duties, for weekly and monthly off-duty. New housing accommodation available. Car drivers essential.

HOLIDAY RELIEF NURSE-MIDWIVES for:
Short or long periods.

QUEEN'S DISTRICT TRAINING COURSE:
State Registered Nurses, with the S.C.M. Certificate, for three months' course arranged by the Queen's Institute of District Nursing. Candidates undertake to work in Buckinghamshire for a period of one year on completion of training. Course commences last week in May or September.

Further particulars and application forms available from County Medical Officer, County Health Department, County Offices, Aylesbury, Bucks. (2845)

WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Health Visitors. Applications are invited from qualified Health Visitors for vacancies in the County due to increase of staff. (Crawley, Horsham, Littlehampton and Bognor Regis.)

District Nurses. Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for vacancies in the County due to increase of staff. (Ferring and Bognor Regis.) Applications from male Nurses will be considered for Bognor Regis, and in all instances preference will be given to district trained nurses. Furnished or unfurnished accommodation provided. All areas are car areas and cars are provided or allowance in lieu.

Rustington/Angmering. Health Visitor required. Car provided or allowance in lieu.

Shoreham-by-Sea. District Midwife required for full-time duties. Car provided or allowance in lieu.

Petworth. Two **District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitors** required for a double area. Furnished or unfurnished house available. Two cars provided or allowances in lieu.

Application forms and further details available from County Medical Officer, County Hall, Chichester.

T. C. HAYWARD,
Clerk of the County Council.
(2767)

CITY OF MANCHESTER

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

ASSISTANT TO PRINCIPAL HEALTH VISITOR TUTOR

Applications are invited for the above position from persons holding the Health Visitor Tutor's Certificate. Salary £845 to £971 per annum.

Application forms, returnable within 21 days of the date of this advertisement, from the Medical Officer of Health, Town Hall, Manchester, 2. (2892)

PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES—CONTINUED ON SUPPLEMENT XXI

NEWCASTLE REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Management Committees, applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together wi details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the Matro of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated) from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions a in accordance with the appropriate National Agreements.

THORPE MATERNITY HOSPITAL
EASINGTON, CO. DURHAM
(55 beds)

Applications are invited for the post of **ASSISTANT MATRON** at the above hospital; either resident or non-resident. Applicants must be S.R.N., S.C.M.

The hospital is a Second Part Midwifery Training School and has an eight cot Premature Baby Unit. The post offers excellent experience in all aspects of administration.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience and naming two referees, should be sent to the Group Secretary, Sunderland Area Hospital Management Committee, General Hospital, Chester Road, Sunderland, Co. Durham.

ASSISTANT MATRON

HOLYWOOD HALL HOSPITAL
WOLSINGHAM, CO. DURHAM (Chest—172 beds). S.R.N. Resident.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, CHESTER ROAD, SUNDERLAND
(443 beds)

SISTER TUTOR, preferably qualified, required for large general training school at the above hospital. Establishment of one Principal Tutor and three Tutors. Whitley Council regulations.

Apply immediately, in writing, stating age, and giving details of training and experience, and naming two referees, to the Matron.

REGISTERED NURSE TUTORS

BISHOP AUCKLAND GENERAL HOSPITAL
BISHOP AUCKLAND (350 beds). S.R.N. Tutor's Certificate. Female. Resident or non-resident.

HOLYWOOD HALL HOSPITAL
WOLSINGHAM, CO. DURHAM (172 beds). Tutor/Administrative Sister. Male or female. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

MIDDLESBROUGH GENERAL HOSPITAL
AYRESOME GREEN LANE, MIDDLESBROUGH (473 beds. Complete General Training School with an establishment of 200 Student Nurses). Two qualified Nurse Tutors required. One for Group Preliminary Training School. Resident or non-resident.

WEST CUMBERLAND NURSE TRAINING SCHOOL
WEST CUMBERLAND HOSPITAL, HENSINGHAM, WHITEHAVEN, CUMBERLAND (293 beds). Qualified Tutor for expanding school about to take possession of new specially built premises, forming part of the new West Cumberland Hospital, 140 beds, but which will eventually have 470 beds. Practical training at present is also given at Whitehaven Hospital (120 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

HAVELOCK AND GRINDON HALL HOSPITALS
HYLTON ROAD, SUNDERLAND (201 beds). S.R.N., R.F.N. or S.R.N. with fever experience. Varied and interesting duties dealing with catering and relieving Matron and her Deputy in their absence. Departmental Sister (Category C). Vacancy due to retirement of present holder. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

HEMLINGTON HOSPITAL
MIDDLESBROUGH (283 beds). Junior Night Sister. Resident or non-resident.

STEAD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
REDCAR, YORKS. (40 beds). Resident or non-resident.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL
HARTON, SOUTH SHIELDS (547 beds). To work under Night Superintendent. Resident or non-resident.

VICTORIA COTTAGE HOSPITAL
MARYPORT, CUMBERLAND (General—31 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

LEEHOLME HOSPITAL
EASINGTON, CO. DURHAM (158 beds). Hospital caters for acute surgical and gynaecological patients and mainly long-stay rehabilitation patients. Resident or non-resident.

SEAHAM HALL HOSPITAL
SEAHAM, CO. DURHAM (101 beds). S.R.N. The staff establishment is being increased to meet the commitments of the Regional Thoracic Unit. Resident or non-resident.

MATERNITY HOSPITAL
CHESTER ROAD, SUNDERLAND
(88 beds)

There are vacancies for all grades of staff to increase the staff establishment. Female. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS. S.R.N., S.C.M. Four vacancies.
STAFF MIDWIVES. S.R.N., S.C.M.; may be S.C.M. only.
STAFF NURSES. S.R.N. only.
STATE ENROLLED NURSES.
NURSERY NURSES. Must be R.S.C.N. or N.N.E.B.
AUXILIARY NURSES, preferably with previous nursing experience.

Posts other than Sister may be part-time. Excellent experience is available in Delivery Rooms, Lying-in Wards, Ante- and Post-Natal Clinics, and the Nursery for premature and special care babies. The 88 hour fortnight is in operation.

Further particulars can be obtained from Matron, by letter or telephone, or an appointment made for interview. Application forms will be sent on request.

THEATRE SISTERS—Contd.

STOCKTON AND THORNABY HOSPITAL
BOWESFIELD LANE, STOCKTON-ON-TEES, CO. DURHAM (Acute General—130 beds). Excellent experience to be gained. Resident or non-resident.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL
HARTON, SOUTH SHIELDS (547 beds). Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

BENSHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL
GATESHEAD, 8 (377 beds). For acute medicine. Resident or non-residen

BISHOP AUCKLAND GENERAL HOSPITAL
BISHOP AUCKLAND (350 beds). S.R.N. for new Female Geriatric Wa Resident or non-resident.

DUNSTON HILL HOSPITAL
DUNSTON, GATESHEAD, 11 (296 beds). Ward Sisters for day and night du Resident or non-resident.

HEMLINGTON HOSPITAL
MIDDLESBROUGH (283 beds). Relief Sister. Resident or non-resident.

HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN (Fleming Memorial)
GREAT NORTH ROAD, NEWCASTLE, 2 (104 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N. R.S.C.N., for duty on Medical Ward, including premature babies. Resident o non-resident. Applications to Matron not later than 13th May.

MIDDLESBROUGH GENERAL HOSPITAL
AYRESOME GREEN LANE, MIDDLESBROUGH (473 beds). Sister or Ma Charge Nurse. S.R.N., preferably O.N.C., required in September for Ma Orthopaedic Ward in new Accident Centre. Also Second Sister required Infants' Ward. S.R.N., R.S.C.N. Resident or non-resident. Applications to b received by the 12th May, 1961.

NORTH RIDING INFIRMARY
MIDDLESBROUGH (Eye and E.N.T. Centre—114 beds). Ward Sister, preferabl R.S.C.N. and with children's experience. Non-resident.

ORTHOPAEDIC AND ACCIDENT HOSPITAL
NEWCASTLE ROAD, SUNDERLAND (120 beds). Required for busy Children's Ward. Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate preferred. Resident or non-resident.

SEAHAM HALL HOSPITAL
SEAHAM, CO. DURHAM (101 beds). Relief Ward Sister. S.R.N. The hospita is the Regional Thoracic Unit. Resident or non-resident.

SHERIFF HILL I.D. HOSPITAL
SHERIFF HILL, GATESHEAD, 9 (127 beds). Second Sister. S.R.N., R.F.N. or S.R.N., S.C.M., or S.R.N., R.S.C.N. Non-resident.

CHARGE NURSE

WEST CUMBERLAND HOSPITAL
HENSINGHAM, WHITEHAVEN, CUMBERLAND (General—140 beds). Ment trained. For night duty. Resident or non-resident.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

BENSHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL
GATESHEAD, 8 (377 beds). Two required. Resident or non-resident.

EYE INFIRMARY
ALEXANDRA ROAD, SUNDERLAND (60 beds). Required for modern Theatre Appointment with view to permanent post. Resident or non-resident.

HAVELOCK AND GRINDON HALL HOSPITALS
HYLTON ROAD, SUNDERLAND (201 beds). S.R.N., R.F.N., or S.R.N. wit fever experience. Resident or non-resident.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL
HARTON, SOUTH SHIELDS (547 beds). Permanent or Holiday Relief Sister Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

CUMBERLAND INFIRMARY
CARLISLE (330 beds). For busy Twin Theatre. Excellent varied experience Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

SEAHAM HALL HOSPITAL
SEAHAM, CO. DURHAM (101 beds). Two required. S.R.N.s required t meet the increase in staff establishment to cover the commitments of the Region Thoracic Unit. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (Female)

BENSHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL
GATESHEAD, 8 (377 beds). For surgical, medical and geriatric. Resident o non-resident.

BISHOP AUCKLAND GENERAL HOSPITAL
BISHOP AUCKLAND (350 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

BLENCATHRA HOSPITAL
THRELKELD, Nr. KESWICK (Chest and Chronic Sick—76 beds). S.R.N. A modern house, near to the hospital, is available for female with dependent relatives Resident or non-resident.

BRIERTON HOSPITAL
BRIERTON LANE, WEST HARTLEPOOL (72 beds). Resident or non-resident

CAMERON HOSPITAL
SERPENTINE ROAD, WEST HARTLEPOOL (69 beds). For Gynaecology Ward S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

CARTER BEQUEST HOSPITAL
CAMBRIDGE ROAD, MIDDLESBROUGH (51 beds). Full or part-time. Residen or non-resident.

NEWCASTLE REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

STAFF NURSES (Female)—Contd.

CUMBERLAND INFIRMARY
CARLISLE (330 beds). Full-time. Required immediately for busy Eye Unit: 18 female beds, 14 male beds and separate Eye Theatre. Possession of O.N.C. or experience in eye work an advantage, but all will be considered. Forty-four hour week. Busy general hospital in Border Country, with easy access to Lake District. Resident or non-resident.

DUNSTON HILL HOSPITAL
DUNSTON, GATESHEAD, 11 (296 beds). Resident or non-resident.

EYE INFIRMARY
ALEXANDRA ROAD, SUNDERLAND (60 beds). Ophthalmic trained, or for one year's ophthalmic training. Resident or non-resident.

GALEMIRE HOSPITAL
CLEATOR MOOR, CUMBERLAND (Chronic Sick—24 beds). Resident or non-resident.

LEEHOLME HOSPITAL
EASINGTON, CO. DURHAM (158 beds). Three required. Hospital caters for acute surgical and gynaecological patients and mainly long-stay rehabilitation patients. Resident or non-resident.

PRESTON HOSPITAL
PRESTON ROAD, NORTH SHIELDS (371 beds). For Children's Ward. Previous experience of children's nursing preferred. Resident or non-resident.

QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL
SHERIFF HILL, GATESHEAD, 9 (164 beds). For theatre, casualty, cancer research and gynaecology. Resident or non-resident.

SHERIFF HILL I.D. HOSPITAL
SHERIFF HILL, GATESHEAD, 9 (127 beds). S.R.N. for night duty. Non-resident.

SIR G. B. HUNTER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
THE GREEN, WALLSEND-ON-TYNE (58 beds). For General Wards. Resident or non-resident.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL
HARTON, SOUTH SHIELDS (547 beds). For duty in Theatre and General Wards. Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident. Applications to be made immediately to Matron.

WEST CUMBERLAND HOSPITAL
HENSINGHAM, WHITEHAVEN, CUMBERLAND (General—140 beds). Staff Nurses required. Also one for pre-convalescent annexe of 31 beds. Resident or non-resident.

WHITEHAVEN HOSPITAL
WHITEHAVEN, CUMBERLAND (General—122 beds). Staff Nurse required. Also one, part-time, for Orthopaedic Ward. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (Male)

BLENCATHRA HOSPITAL
THRELKELD, Nr. KESWICK (Chest and Chronic Sick—76 beds). S.R.N. A modern house, near to the hospital, is available for a married male applicant. Resident or non-resident.

WEST CUMBERLAND HOSPITAL
HENSINGHAM, WHITEHAVEN, CUMBERLAND (General—140 beds). Mental trained. For night duty. Resident or non-resident.

POST REGISTRATION COURSES

ORTHOPAEDIC AND ACCIDENT HOSPITAL
NEWCASTLE ROAD, SUNDERLAND (120 beds). Female required for one year's course in preparation for the Joint Examination Board's Orthopaedic Certificate. Resident or non-resident.

SHERIFF HILL I.D. HOSPITAL
SHERIFF HILL, GATESHEAD, 9 (127 beds). Male or female for one year's fever training. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BENSHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL
GATESHEAD, 8 (377 beds). Full or part-time. Female. Resident or non-resident.

BISHOP AUCKLAND GENERAL HOSPITAL
BISHOP AUCKLAND (350 beds). For theatre duties in Maternity Department. Resident or non-resident.

COCKERMOUTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL
COCKERMOUTH, CUMBERLAND (General—17 beds). With good experience and able to relieve on night duty. Resident or non-resident.

DUNSTON HILL HOSPITAL
DUNSTON, GATESHEAD, 11 (296 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

MOOR PARK HOSPITAL
DARRAS DRIVE, NORTH SHIELDS (70 beds). Resident or non-resident. Female.

TYNEMOUTH VICTORIA JUBILEE INFIRMARY
HAWKEY'S LANE, NORTH SHIELDS (116 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

WEST CUMBERLAND HOSPITAL
HENSINGHAM, WHITEHAVEN, CUMBERLAND (General—140 beds). For all wards. Resident or non-resident. Female.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES—Contd.

WHITEHAVEN HOSPITAL
WHITEHAVEN, CUMBERLAND (General—122 beds). For all wards. Female. Resident or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

BISHOP AUCKLAND GENERAL HOSPITAL
BISHOP AUCKLAND (350 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

CASTLE HILLS MATERNITY HOME
BERWICK-ON-TWEED (15 beds). S.C.M., S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

GRANTULLY MATERNITY HOME
WESTBOURNE ROAD, WEST HARTLEPOOL (21 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

WORKINGTON INFIRMARY
WORKINGTON, CUMBERLAND (General—205 beds). Busy Maternity Department of 50 beds, with Part II Training School, on edge of Lake District National Park. S.R.N., S.C.M., or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

BISHOP AUCKLAND GENERAL HOSPITAL
BISHOP AUCKLAND (350 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

BISHOP AUCKLAND MATERNITY HOME
BISHOP AUCKLAND (17 beds). S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

MATERNITY HOSPITAL
NORTHALLERTON (28 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. preferred. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL INFIRMARY
NEW DURHAM ROAD, SUNDERLAND. S.R.N., S.C.M., or S.C.M. only, required for Maternity Department. Resident or non-resident.

PRESTON HOSPITAL
PRESTON ROAD, NORTH SHIELDS (371 beds). Resident or non-resident.

WORKINGTON INFIRMARY
WORKINGTON, CUMBERLAND (General—205 beds). Busy Maternity Department of 50 beds, with Part II Training School, on edge of Lake District National Park. S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.

WHITEHAVEN HOSPITAL
WHITEHAVEN, CUMBERLAND (General—122 beds). For day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

BISHOP AUCKLAND GENERAL HOSPITAL
BISHOP AUCKLAND (350 beds). Part II. Course beginning 1st June. Transport provided on district work. Resident.

CAMERON HOSPITAL
SERPENTINE ROAD, WEST HARTLEPOOL. Second Period Training School. Courses commence 1st March, 1st June, 1st September, 1st December. Combining three months in hospital and three months on district. Outdoor uniform and cycle allowance on district. Eighty-eight hour fortnight. One half study day per week and option to return for revision until examination. Resident or non-resident.

MATERNITY HOSPITAL
CHESTER ROAD, SUNDERLAND (88 beds). There are vacancies for S.R.N.s, R.S.C.N.s. Six months' training to begin on 1st August and 1st November, 1961. Resident or non-resident.

QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL
SHERIFF HILL, GATESHEAD, 9 (164 beds). For Part II Training. Vacancies 1st June. Resident or non-resident.

THORPE MATERNITY HOSPITAL
EASINGTON, CO. DURHAM (55 beds). Required for Second Period Training School. Good experience available. Vacancies occur 1st September and 1st December, 1961. Resident or non-resident.

WORKINGTON INFIRMARY
WORKINGTON, CUMBERLAND (General—205 beds). Busy Maternity Department of 50 beds, with Part II Training School, on edge of Lake District National Park. Vacancies 1st June, 1st September and 1st December. Resident or non-resident.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

BENSHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL
GATESHEAD, 8 (377 beds). Full or part-time. Female. Resident or non-resident.

STUDENT NURSES

BENSHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL
GATESHEAD, 8 (377 beds). Male or female for school commencing 1st August, 1961. Resident or non-resident.

QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL
SHERIFF HILL, GATESHEAD, 9 (164 beds). Male or female for school commencing 1st August, 1961. Resident or non-resident.

SHERIFF HILL I.D. HOSPITAL
SHERIFF HILL, GATESHEAD, 9 (127 beds). Male or female for school commencing 1st August, 1961. Two years' fever training. Resident or non-resident.

CUMBERLAND INFIRMARY
CARLISLE (330 beds). For Preliminary Training Schools commencing in August, 1961, and January, 1962. Busy general hospital in the Border Country, with easy access to the Lake District. Forty-four hour week. Minimum age of entry: 18 years. Male or female. Interested candidates should write to Matron, giving age and details of education. An interview can then be arranged with candidates and parents, by appointment. (19)

BIRMINGHAM REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committees, applications are invited for the following appointments and should be sent, togeth with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the Matr of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated), from whom further details may be obtaind. Salaries are in accordance wi the appropriate National Scales.

DUDLEY, STOURBRIDGE AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL GROUP

SISTER TUTOR in Sole Charge of Group Preliminary Training School required June, 1961.

Applications, giving full details and naming two referees, to the Group Secretary, The Guest Hospital, Dudley, Worcs.

THE ROBERT JONES AND AGNES HUNT ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, OSWESTRY

A unique opportunity to observe the most up-to-date treatment in orthopaedic surgery.

Short or long term appointments available to State Registered Nurses with or without orthopaedic training or experience.

Courses of training available to those interested in obtaining additional qualifications.

Modern orthopaedic hospital with 418 beds, situated in attractive rural surroundings with easy access to main line trains.

Further particulars from Matron.

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH

(428 beds)

MIDWIFERY TUTOR required for modern department of 60 beds. Part I Training School for Pupil Midwives. Opportunity for excellent experience.

Further particulars and application form apply to Matron, who will be pleased to arrange for interested candidates to be shown round the department.

BIRMINGHAM AND DISTRICT

REGISTERED NURSE TUTOR IN SOLE CHARGE

ST. CHAD'S HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 15 (General—154 beds). General Training School.

REGISTERED NURSE TUTORS

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—650 beds; Maternity—114 beds. Premature Baby Unit). Qualified Sister Tutor required for large General Training School. Increase of staff. Block system of education. Modern department with excellent facilities. Resident or non-resident. Apply immediately, in writing, to Matron.

NIGHT SISTERS

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (428 beds). For General Wards. Opportunity for experience.

THEATRE SISTERS

GOOD HOPE HOSPITAL, RECTORY ROAD, SUTTON COLDFIELD (Acute—120 beds). New hospital in course of construction. Second phase opening 1st September. Pleasant Nurses' Home.

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (428 beds). Junior Theatre Sister for General Theatre. Excellent opportunity for experience.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General Training School—700 beds). Male or female for new Theatre Unit. All types of surgery. Resident or non-resident.

MIDLAND CENTRE FOR NEUROSURGERY, HOLLY LANE, SMETHWICK (75 beds). Operating Theatre Sister required. Special previous experience not required, but good general theatre experience necessary. Resident or non-resident.

ST. CHAD'S HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 15 (General—155 beds). One of three. Forty-four hour week.

TAMWORTH GENERAL HOSPITAL, THE LEYS, TAMWORTH (Acute—68 beds). Resident or non-resident. Modern busy hospital. Main line station two-and-a-half hours from London. Small town in rural surroundings. Fifteen miles Birmingham.

WALSALL GENERAL (SISTER DORA) HOSPITAL, WALSALL (Acute General—188 beds). For busy twin Operating Theatres, to work under Superintendent. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—650 beds; Maternity—114 beds. Premature Baby Unit). For Female Medical Ward. Also one for Casualty Department.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General Training School—700 beds). Junior Sisters for all types of wards. For day or night duty. Also Sisters required for a new modern Geriatric Unit of 78 beds, in pleasant surroundings. Training School for Pupil Assistant Nurses. Forty-four hour week. Resident or non-resident.

MARSTON GREEN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (Maternity—201 beds). Complete Midwifery Training School. S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. required for 39 bedded Paediatric and Premature Baby Unit (Departmental Sister in Charge). Preference given to candidates with special training in care of premature babies.

ST. MICHAEL'S HOSPITAL, TRENT VALLEY ROAD, LICHFIELD (Chronic and Chest—130 beds). Ward Sister required for modernised Hospital in pleasant cathedral city near town with shopping centres and amusements. Separate nurses' home in pleasant rural surroundings about one mile away. Transport provided.

BIRMINGHAM AND DISTRICT—Contd.

SISTERS—Continued

SUMMERFIELD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (Chronic Sick and Geriatric 1,059 beds). For Ward of 30 elderly female patients undergoing acti rehabilitation in adjoining Physiotherapy Department. Will be required to operate closely with Superintendent of Physiotherapy and her staff.

WALSALL GENERAL (SISTER DORA) HOSPITAL, WALSALL (Acu General—188 beds). Relief Sister.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (Chest Hospital—400 beds Two Ward Sisters.

CHARGE NURSES

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (Chest Hospital—400 beds Two required.

STAFF NURSES

BIRMINGHAM AND MIDLAND EAR AND THROAT HOSPITAL, BIRMIN HAM, 3 (Ear, Nose and Throat—76 beds). Two required, S.R.N. Full-ti preferred. Resident or non-resident.

GOOD HOPE HOSPITAL, RECTORY ROAD, SUTTON COLDFIELD (Acute 120 beds). New hospital in course of construction. Second phase opening September. Pleasant nurses' home.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (Gene Training School—700 beds). General Wards. Also male or female for new Thea Unit—all types of surgery. Resident or non-resident.

SOLIHULL HOSPITAL, LODE LANE, SOLIHULL (General and Maternity 210 beds). Resident or non-resident.

SUMMERFIELD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (Chronic Sick and Geriatric 1,059 beds). For day or night duty.

TAMWORTH GENERAL HOSPITAL, THE LEYS, TAMWORTH (Acute 68 beds). Resident or non-resident. Modern busy hospital. Main line stati two-and-a-half hours from London. Small town in rural surroundings. Fifteen mi Birmingham.

WALSALL GENERAL (SISTER DORA) HOSPITAL, WALSALL (Acute Gene —188 beds). For Wards and Departments. Day duty and night duty.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, REDNAL ROAD, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmona Tuberculosis and other Chest Diseases—207 beds). Male or female. Resident non-resident.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (Chest Hospital—400 beds S.R.N. or B.T.A.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES

BIRMINGHAM AND MIDLAND EYE HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, (Ophthalmic—153 beds). State Registered Nurses required for one year's po registration training for Diploma of Ophthalmic Nursing Board.

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (428 beds). Premature Baby U offers course in nursing premature babies, under modern conditions, to Sta Registered and State Registered Children's Nurses, or State Certified Midwive Accommodates 14 babies.

MARSTON GREEN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (Maternity 201 beds). Complete Midwifery Training School. Applications are invited fr trained nurses who are desirous of taking a course of training in the care premature babies. Certificates given at the completion of six months' trainin

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (Chest Hospital—400 beds General trained Nurses for one year's training for B.T.A. Certificate.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BIRMINGHAM AND MIDLAND EAR AND THROAT HOSPITAL, BIRMIN HAM, 3 (Ear, Nose and Throat—76 beds). Two required. Resident or non-residen

HEATHFIELD ROAD MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, (Maternity—35 beds). Resident or non-resident.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (Gene Training School—700 beds). Male and female. Resident or non-resident.

ST. CHAD'S HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 16 (General—155 beds). Male theatre duties. Forty-four hour week.

SKIN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 15 (Dermatological—59 beds). For patients' Department. Forty-four hour week. Resident or non-resident.

SOLIHULL HOSPITAL, LODE LANE, SOLIHULL (General and Maternity 210 beds). Resident or non-resident.

SUMMERFIELD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (Chronic Sick and Geriatric 1,059 beds). For day or night duty.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, REDNAL ROAD, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmona Tuberculosis and other Chest Diseases—207 beds). Resident or non-residen

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (Chest Hospital—400 beds Resident or non-resident.

DEPARTMENTAL MIDWIFERY SISTER

MANOR MATERNITY HOME, WALSALL (Maternity—36 beds).

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (428 beds). Two requir Modern Department of 60 beds. Part I Training School.

ST. CHAD'S HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 15 (General—155 beds). One six. 40 beds. Normal and abnormal obstetrics. Part II Training School. Resid or non-resident. Forty-four hour week.

SOLIHULL HOSPITAL, LODE LANE, SOLIHULL (General and Maternity 210 beds). Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

SOLIHULL HOSPITAL, LODE LANE, SOLIHULL (General and Maternity 210 beds). Resident or non-resident.

SORRENTO MATERNITY HOSPITAL, 15 WAKE GREEN ROAD, BIRMIN HAM, 13. Part I Training School. To work in all midwifery departments. months' training in the care of the premature baby given, if requested, to Sta Certified Midwives and State Registered Sick Children's Nurses.

BIRMINGHAM REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

BIRMINGHAM AND DISTRICT—Contd.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—650 beds; Maternity—114 beds. Premature Baby Unit). S.R.N.s prepared for Part I Examination of the Central Midwives' Board. Excellent experience in all departments. Qualified Sister Tutors are responsible for supervision of training, and pupils have the opportunity of attending Clinical Teaching Rounds conducted by Obstetricians for Medical Students attached to University of Birmingham. Modified block system and study day in progress during the six months' training. Vacancies occur 12th June, 24th July, 11th September, 23rd October and 4th December, 1961.

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (60 beds). S.R.N., R.S.C.N. Six months' course. A few vacancies for non-S.R.N. 12 to 18 months' course according to qualifications. Next vacancies 1st August, 1961, and every three months. **STUDY DAY per week.**

HEATHFIELD ROAD MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 19 (Maternity—35 beds). Period II Midwifery Training School. Vacancies 1st September and 1st December, 1961.

MANOR MATERNITY HOME, WALSALL (Maternity—36 beds). Part II Training offered. Schools commence 1st March, 1st June, 1st September, 1st December. Experience in Labour Ward, Clinics, Premature Baby Unit. Three weeks on night duty and three months on district while resident in hospital.

MARSTON GREEN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (Maternity—201 beds). Complete Midwifery Training School. S.R.N.s only accepted for 12 months' course training. This course includes 14 days in school, instruction in gas and air analgesia, three months district. Schools May, August, November and February. Also S.R.N. or non-S.R.N. for second period training. Schools commence March, June, September and December. Outdoor uniform provided and cycle allowance given during district training.

SORRENTO MATERNITY HOSPITAL, 15 WAKE GREEN ROAD, BIRMINGHAM, 13. Part I Training School. Schools commence 1st May, 1st August, 1st November; and 1st February, 1962. Experience in Premature Baby Unit.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General Training School—700 beds). Resident or non-resident.

SOLIHULL HOSPITAL, LODE LANE, SOLIHULL (General and Maternity—210 beds). Resident or non-resident.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (Chest Hospital—400 beds).

BURTON-ON-TRENT AND DISTRICT

PUPIL MIDWIVES

THE ANDRESSEY HOSPITAL, BURTON-ON-TRENT. For new Part II Training School. Vacancies every three months commencing 1st June, 1961. The Maternity Department has 44 beds and pupils will be coached by qualified Tutor. Gas and air analgesia training available.

COVENTRY AND DISTRICT

ASSISTANT MATRON

COVENTRY AND WARWICKSHIRE HOSPITAL, COVENTRY (General and Part II Midwifery Training School). Post offers wide experience. Resident.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

GULSON HOSPITAL, GULSON ROAD, COVENTRY (Training School for Nurses. Part I Midwifery Training School—312 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. preferred. Forty-four hour week. Resident or non-resident.

STOKE-ON-TRENT AND DISTRICT

REGISTERED NURSE TUTORS

CHESHIRE JOINT SANATORIUM, Nr. MARKET DRAYTON (174 beds). Qualified Sister Tutor for Affiliated Training School.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (792 beds). One of four. Qualified

NIGHT SISTERS

CHEADLE HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (Chronic—70 beds).

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (792 beds). S.R.N. Two required.

THEATRE SISTERS

BIDDULPH GRANGE ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, BIDDULPH, STOKE-ON-TRENT. In charge of Theatre and Plaster Room. Post vacant May. Excellent Theatre Unit. Operations for all children's and some female adult orthopaedic conditions. Resident or non-resident.

GROUNDSLOW HOSPITAL, TITTENSOR, Nr. STOKE-ON-TRENT. For Gynaecological and Obstetric Theatre. New unit.

SISTERS

CHEADLE HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (Chronic—70 beds). Ward Sisters.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (792 beds). For Children's Ward (20 cots), ages 1 to 3 years.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (792 beds). For Medical and Surgical Wards.

GROUNDSLOW HOSPITAL, TITTENSOR, Nr. STOKE-ON-TRENT. For busy Gynaecological Ward. Post vacant June. Also Ward Sister for Dermatology Unit (16 beds).

LEEK MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, LEEK (23 beds). Ward Sister (theatre experience an advantage).

LIMES MATERNITY HOSPITAL, HARTSHILL. Ward Sister for Premature Baby Unit. S.R.N. or R.S.C.N.

STAFF NURSES

BUCKNALL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (272 beds). S.R.N., R.F.N., male or female, for both Fever and Geriatric Wards. Resident or non-resident.

CHEADLE HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (Chronic—70 beds).

STOKE-ON-TRENT AND DISTRICT—Contd.

STAFF NURSES—Continued

CHESHIRE JOINT SANATORIUM, Nr. MARKET DRAYTON, SALOP. (174 beds). Two required. B.T.A. Certificate only. Also S.R.N.s for one year's training for B.T.A. Certificate and S.R.N.s for experience in thoracic nursing.

HARTSHILL ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, HARTSHILL (60 beds). S.R.N.

HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, BURSLEM (96 beds). S.R.N.s for Theatre and for Children's Ward.

LEEK MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (27 beds). S.R.N., preferably with theatre experience.

LONGTON HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (55 beds). For wards and departments.

NORTH STAFFS ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (450 beds). For Private Patients' Block. Also for General Wards and departments. S.R.N. Neurological Out-patients' Department. Resident or non-resident.

NORTH STAFFS ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (450 beds). S.R.N. for Dermatological Out-patient Department. Previous experience not essential.

NORTH STAFFS ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (450 beds). Staff Nurses, S.R.N., for new Twin Operating Theatre Unit.

STANFIELD HOSPITAL, BURSLEM (Chronic Sick—90 beds). S.R.N. for Female Chronic Sick Wards.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES

BUCKNALL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (272 beds, including 84 Infectious). General Trained Nurses for one year's training for R.F.N. Certificate.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

CHEADLE HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (Chronic—70 beds).

LEEK MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (27 beds).

LEEK MOORLANDS HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (104 beds). Female.

LONGTON HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (55 beds).

STANFIELD HOSPITAL, BURSLEM (Chronic Sick—90 beds).

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

CITY GENERAL MATERNITY UNIT (60 beds). Apply Matron, Limes Maternity Hospital, Hartshill, Stoke-on-Trent.

HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, BURSLEM. S.R.N., S.C.M.

LEEK MOORLANDS HOSPITAL, STAFFS. S.R.N., S.C.M. Full-time. Resident. Responsible for small Midwifery Unit of 10 beds. Hospital pleasantly situated in delightful part of country.

STAFF MIDWIVES

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (Maternity Unit—60 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. **Apply Matron, Limes Maternity Hospital,** Hartshill, Stoke-on-Trent.

GROUNDSLOW HOSPITAL, TITTENSOR, Nr. STOKE-ON-TRENT. For busy Unit (35 beds). Day and night duty.

HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, BURSLEM (Acute General). S.R.N., S.C.M. for modern Maternity Unit of 30 beds.

LEEK MOORLANDS HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (Maternity Unit of 10 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (General and Maternity—792 beds). Complete Training School, Parts I and II. **Part I at The City General Hospital.** Study day system of training. S.R.N. and non-S.R.N. pupils accepted for six and eighteen months' training respectively. **Part II at The Limes Maternity Hospital (46 beds). Gas and Air Analgesia** training available at both hospitals. Applications for both Part I and Part II to the **Matron, The Limes Maternity Hospital, Hartshill, Stoke-on-Trent.**

NURSING AUXILIARIES

CHESHIRE JOINT SANATORIUM, Nr. MARKET DRAYTON, SALOP. (174 beds).

WOLVERHAMPTON AND DISTRICT

NIGHT SISTERS

NEW CROSS HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON (General—636 beds. Maternity—44 beds. Modernised, up-to-date). One of three.

THEATRE SISTER

NEW CROSS HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON (General—636 beds. Maternity—44 beds. Modernised, up-to-date).

SISTERS

PARKFIELDS HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON (Fever and Tuberculosis—66 beds). Ward Sister (tuberculosis). Applications to Matron, The Royal Hospital, Wolverhampton.

THE ROYAL HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON (General—310 beds). Ward Sister (Surgical) required.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

NEW CROSS HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON (General—634 beds).

STAFF NURSES

NEW CROSS HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON (General—634 beds).

POST-GRADUATE COURSES

THE ROYAL HOSPITAL (WOMEN'S BRANCH), PARK ROAD WEST, WOLVERHAMPTON (Gynaecological, Obstetric and Premature Baby Unit—90 beds). Vacancies for trained nurses to take six months' course in the Premature Baby Unit, at the end of which a certificate is given. Applications to Matron, The Royal Hospital, Wolverhampton.

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BIRMINGHAM REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

WOLVERHAMPTON AND DISTRICT—Contd.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BRIDGNORTH AND SOUTH SHROPSHIRE INFIRMARY, BRIDGNORTH (General and Maternity—55 beds). Full-time. resident or non-resident, for work in the General Wards and departments. Applications to Matron.

STAFF MIDWIVES

NEW CROSS HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON (General—634 beds). Resident or non-resident.

THE ROYAL HOSPITAL (WOMEN'S BRANCH), PARK ROAD WEST, WOLVERHAMPTON (Gynaecological, Obstetrical and Premature Baby—90 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Full-time or part-time. Apply Matron, Royal Hospital, Wolverhampton.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

NEW CROSS HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON (General—636 beds. Maternity—44 beds. Modernised, up-to-date). Pupils accepted for Part II Training every three months. March, June, September and December.

THE ROYAL HOSPITAL (WOMEN'S BRANCH), PARK ROAD WEST, WOLVERHAMPTON (Gynaecological, Obstetric, Premature Baby Unit—90 beds). Vacancies every three months. Approved gas and air analgesia course. Pupils coached throughout by qualified Sister Tutor. Applications to Matron, The Royal Hospital, Wolverhampton.

WORCESTERSHIRE

ASSISTANT MATRON

WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, WORCESTER. **Second Assistant Matron** for this busy general hospital of 213 beds. Recognised General Training School and Assistant Nurse Training School, in conjunction with other hospitals in the Group. Detailed applications, with three names for reference, to the Secretary.

REGISTERED NURSE TUTOR

MID-WORCESTERSHIRE HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE. Staff of three. Applications to Matron, Kidderminster General Hospital.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

MALVERN GENERAL HOSPITAL, MALVERN (General—19 beds). With theatre experience. Category B. Resident.

HOUSEKEEPING SISTER

THE GUEST HOSPITAL, DUDLEY (General Acute—154 beds). Sister for Housekeeping Department. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

CORBETT HOSPITAL, STOURBRIDGE (General—114 beds). General Training School. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

EVESHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (General—54 beds). Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

MALVERN GENERAL HOSPITAL, MALVERN (General—19 beds).

SISTERS

AVONSIDE HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (Long-stay and Maternity—255 beds). Ward Sister for Female Ward. Full-time.

BROMSGROVE COTTAGE HOSPITAL, BROMSGROVE (General—36 beds). For busy Casualty Department.

HIGHFIELD HOSPITAL, DROITWICH (Rheumatic Diseases—60 beds). Ward Sister.

MALVERN GENERAL HOSPITAL, MALVERN (General—19 beds). Ward Sister. Resident.

ROMSLEY HILL HOSPITAL, ROMSLEY, HALESOWEN, Nr, BIRMINGHAM (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—134 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N. Previous Chest Hospital experience an advantage. Resident or non-resident.

SHRUB HILL HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (Long-stay and Maternity—126 beds). Ward Sister for Geriatric Ward. Resident.

CHARGE NURSE

ROMSLEY HILL HOSPITAL, ROMSLEY, HALESOWEN, Nr, BIRMINGHAM (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—134 beds). S.R.N. Previous Chest Hospital experience an advantage. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

EVESHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (General—54 beds). Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

MALVERN GENERAL HOSPITAL (General—19 beds).

ROMSLEY HILL HOSPITAL, ROMSLEY, HALESOWEN, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—134 beds). Male or female. S.R.N., R.F.N. or B.T.A. Certificate only. Resident or non-resident.

WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, INCLUDING RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—472 beds; Maternity—50 beds). Part I Midwifery Training School. R.S.C.N. for Children's Medical Ward. Also Staff Nurse for Orthopaedic Ward.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

AVONSIDE HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (Long-stay and Maternity—255 beds).

MALVERN GENERAL HOSPITAL, MALVERN (General—19 beds). Resident.

WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, INCLUDING RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—472 beds; Maternity—50 beds). Part I Midwifery Training School. For day and night duty in wards and departments.

DEPARTMENTAL MIDWIFERY SISTER

SHRUB HILL HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (Long-stay and Maternity—126 beds). Category "B". General Practitioner Unit of 18 beds. Resident or non-resident.

WORCESTERSHIRE—Contd.

STAFF MIDWIVES

SHRUB HILL HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (Long-stay and Maternity—126 beds. For General Practitioner Unit of 18 beds with Ante-Natal Clinic attached.

WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, INCLUDING RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—472 beds; Maternity—50 beds). Part I Midwifery Training School. For ward and departmental work in busy Maternity Unit.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, INCLUDING RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—472 beds; Maternity—50 beds). Part I Midwifery Training School. Schools commence 1st February, 1st May, 1st August and 1st November each year. New, well-equipped department including Premature Baby Unit.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

ROMSLEY HILL HOSPITAL, ROMSLEY, HALESOWEN, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—134 beds). Female. Previous hospital experience an advantage. Resident or non-resident.

WARWICKSHIRE

HOME SISTER

WARWICK HOSPITAL, LAKIN ROAD, WARWICK (Mainly Acute—285 beds). With some administrative duties. (Departmental Sister Grade Category "B").

NIGHT SISTER

STRATFORD-ON-AVON HOSPITAL, ARDEN STREET, STRATFORD-ON-AVON (Mainly Acute—164 beds). Experienced Ward Sister for night duty. One of three.

SISTERS

KING EDWARD VII MEMORIAL CHEST HOSPITAL, Nr. WARWICK (T.B. and Chest—224 beds). Surgical Ward Sister for modern Thoracic Surgery Unit. Good experience. Also Sister for Medical Ward.

STRATFORD-ON-AVON HOSPITAL, ARDEN STREET, STRATFORD-ON-AVON (Mainly Acute—164 beds). Second Sister required for Female Geriatric Ward. Good experience.

WARWICK HOSPITAL, LAKIN ROAD, WARWICK (285 beds). For Plaster Room attached to Physiotherapy Department. Good experience. Also Ward Sisters required as Second Sisters in the large wards. Good all-round experience.

STAFF NURSES

STRATFORD-ON-AVON HOSPITAL, ARDEN STREET, STRATFORD-ON-AVON (Mainly Acute—164 beds). For Male Surgical Ward (31 beds); non-resident. Also one for Female Medical Ward (17 beds); resident or non-resident.

WARWICK HOSPITAL, LAKIN ROAD, WARWICK (285 beds). Excellent experience in all wards and departments.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

STRATFORD-ON-AVON HOSPITAL, STRATFORD-ON-AVON (Mainly Acute—164 beds). Male—good experience.

STAFFORDSHIRE

REGISTERED NURSE TUTOR

STAFFORDSHIRE GENERAL INFIRMARY, STAFFORD. Qualified Sister Tutor for P.T.S. and to assist with teaching of Senior Nurses. Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

STAFFORDSHIRE GENERAL INFIRMARY, STAFFORD. Required in May. Suitable post for experienced Staff Nurse.

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE, WORCS. (Acute—472 beds). Excellent experience in General Surgery and Plastic Unit Theatre.

SISTERS

STAFFORDSHIRE GENERAL INFIRMARY, STAFFORD. Experienced Ward Sister for Private Block—14 patients; Medical and Surgical cases. Also Senior Casualty Sister for busy Department. Previous casualty experience essential.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTER

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE, WORCS. (Acute—472 beds).

STAFF NURSES

STAFFORDSHIRE GENERAL INFIRMARY, STAFFORD. For E.N.T. Ward, Theatre and Medical Ward.

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE, WORCS. (Acute—472 beds). Two for General and Plastic Theatres; and one each for Female Surgical and Male Medical Wards.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

STAFFORDSHIRE GENERAL INFIRMARY, STAFFORD. Two for E.N.T. and Medical Wards.

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE, WORCS. (Acute—472 beds). Male and female for Acute Medical and Surgical Wards and Plastic Unit.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE, WORCS. (Acute—472 beds). 34 bedded Unit.

STAFF MIDWIVES

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE, WORCS. (Acute—472 beds). Two required. 34 bedded Unit.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

BURTON HOUSE MATERNITY HOME, MOSS PIT, STAFFORD (Maternity—15 beds). For Part II Training.

BIRMINGHAM REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

SHROPSHIRE

SISTERS

CROSS HOUSES HOSPITAL, Nr. SHREWSBURY (164 beds, including 34 Maternity). Ward Sister, preferably S.C.M. or with theatre experience.

EAST HAMLET HOSPITAL, LUDLOW. Ward Sister.

STAFF NURSES

GREENFIELDS HOSPITAL, OSWESTRY (Chronic Sick—22 beds). Full-time.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

EAST HAMLET HOSPITAL, LUDLOW. One male and two female.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

EAST HAMLET HOSPITAL, LUDLOW. For small Maternity Unit, S.R.N. and preferably S.C.M.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

EAST HAMLET HOSPITAL, LUDLOW. Male.

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

BURGHILL HOSPITAL, HEREFORD (354 Female Mental—256 Male Mental beds). Immediate vacancies. Possession of R.M.P.A. or G.N.C. (Mental) Certificates. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

BURGHILL HOSPITAL, HEREFORD (354 Female Mental—256 Male Mental beds). Immediate vacancies. Possession of R.M.P.A. or G.N.C. (Mental) Certificates. Male or female. Resident or non-resident. Applications to the Matron or Chief Male Nurse.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT. **Female** for Female Psychiatric Unit of 86 beds, also Male Staff Nurses, S.R.M.N., for Male Psychiatric Unit, non-resident.

UFFCULME EARLY PSYCHIATRIC CLINIC, QUEENSBRIDGE ROAD, MOSELEY, BIRMINGHAM, 13. Full-time for the In- and Out-patients' Departments of the clinic. Apply Assistant Matron.

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

The undermentioned hospitals offer facilities for Student Nurse Training and applications are invited from women (and where indicated from men), aged 18 to 30, to take the course of three years' General Training for State Registration. The Block System of training, where referred to, means that much of the theoretical work is undertaken when the Nurse is not working on the wards. For further particulars, details of salaries and application forms, apply to the Matron of the hospital concerned unless otherwise stated.

BIRMINGHAM AND MIDLAND EYE HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 3 (Ophthalmic—153 beds). Candidates accepted, at age 17 years, as Ophthalmic Trainees for four years' associated training, two at this hospital and a further two at one of the following: Dudley Road, Queen Elizabeth, General and St. Chad's Hospitals. Eligible for Diploma of Ophthalmic Nursing Board at the end of two years. Eighty-eight hour fortnight.

CHESHIRE JOINT SANATORIUM, Nr. MARKET DRAYTON, SALOP. (174 beds). Four years' course of training in General Tuberculosis Nursing; the first two years at the Cheshire Joint Sanatorium, followed by two years at the City General Hospital or the North Staffordshire Royal Infirmary, Stoke-on-Trent. Students also accepted for two years' training for the British Tuberculosis Association only.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (792 beds). Complete General Training School. **Male and female.** Study day block system in operation. Pleasantly situated; modern nurses' home; separate bedrooms.

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—650 beds; Maternity—114 beds. Premature Baby Unit). Training in 3½ years. Block system of training. 10th July, 2nd October and 1st January.

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (428 beds). For Preliminary Training School, course commencing 1st July, 1961, and approximately every three months. Study day and modified block system in operation. Good residential accommodation.

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING—Contd.

KIDDERMINSTER GENERAL HOSPITAL (112 beds). Female. Complete General Training School.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General Training School—700 beds). For three years' training for the General Register. Nurses on the Supplementary Register accepted for shortened period of training.

NEW CROSS HOSPITAL, WOLVERHAMPTON (General—634 beds). Between 18 and 35 years of age. Three years' training including twelve weeks in Preliminary Training School.

NORTH STAFFS ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (455 beds). Complete General Training School. Male and female. Block system of training in operation. Modern nurses' home in pleasant surroundings. Separate bedrooms. Recreational facilities.

ST. CHAD'S HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—155 beds). Applications invited from well-educated young ladies (18 years and over) to train as Nurses. Central Preliminary Training School. Training period of three years' includes 12 weeks in preliminary training school. Study day system in force. Forty-four hour week. Vacancies July, October.

STAFFORDSHIRE GENERAL HOSPITAL, STAFFORD. Girls of good education required. Three-year course of training commencing September, January and April. Shortened periods of training available for Nurses on the Supplementary Register.

WARWICK HOSPITAL, LAKIN ROAD, WARWICK. Training offered in General Nursing to prepare well-educated girls for State Registration. Minimum age: 18 years.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—207 beds). **Male and female** for two years' training for B.T.A. Certificate.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (Medical and Surgical treatment of tuberculosis and other chest diseases in adults and children—400 beds). **Male and female.** Resident or non-resident. Four years' course of training in general and tuberculosis nursing. First two years will be spent at Yardley Green Hospital, followed by two years at Dudley Road Hospital, Selly Oak Hospital or the Queen Elizabeth School of Nursing, Birmingham. Students are also accepted for two years' training for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Are required at the following hospitals for two years' training for Roll of Assistant Nurses. Further particulars from the Matron of the hospital.

AVONSIDE HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (Assistant Nurse Training School. Long-stay and Maternity—255 beds). Vacancies for pupils of both sexes. Training given by teaching staff at Avonside and Evesham General Hospitals for acute and surgical nursing.

CROSS HOUSES HOSPITAL, Nr. SHREWSBURY (164 beds, including 34 Maternity beds). Accepted between 18-45 years of age. Two year course for enrolment as State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.

HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, BURSLEM (96 beds: Acute—66, Maternity—30). Female, between 18 and 40 years, for two years' training course, including four weeks in Preliminary Training School. Modern nurses' home with excellent amenities. Full particulars from Matron, North Staffordshire Royal Infirmary, Stoke-on-Trent.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General Training School—700 beds). For two years' training.

MID-WORCESTERSHIRE HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE. Male and female. Study day system of training. Apply to the Matron of one of the component Training Schools: Bromsgrove Cottage Hospital; Blackwell Recovery Hospital, near Bromsgrove; Smallwood Hospital, Redditch; Blakebrook Hospital, Kidderminster.

SUMMERFIELD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (Chronic Sick and Geriatric—1,059 beds). Female, 18-35 years. Two-year training course. Schools commence 12th June and 14th August.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—207 beds). **Male and female.** Part of the course to be taken at Yardley Green Hospital and Selly Oak Hospital West.

WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY SCHOOL OF NURSING. Including Ronkswood and Shrub Hill Hospitals, Worcester. The training offers experience in acute medical and surgical nursing. Next school July, 1961.

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE, WORCS. (Acute—472 beds). Male and female. Two years' training on Acute Wards. Male staff non-resident only.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (400 beds for medical and surgical treatment of tuberculosis and other chest diseases in adults and children). Part of the course to be taken at Selly Oak Hospital West.

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PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES—Continued

MONTGOMERYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the appointment of:

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIFE FOR THE MACHYNLLETH DISTRICT

Further particulars and forms of application may be obtained from the County Medical Officer of Health, County Health Offices, Newtown, Montgomeryshire.

P. E. WHITE,
Clerk of the County Council.

County Offices,
Welshpool.
5th April, 1961.

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COUNTY OF CORNWALL

Applications are invited for the following vacancies:

Bodmin. Two District Nurse-Midwives OR **Two District Nurse-Midwives/Health Visitors.** Furnished or unfurnished house provided.

Cars are provided or an allowance is given for own car, and applicants should hold a current driving licence or be prepared to learn to drive.

Salary and service conditions in accordance with Whitley Council decisions.

Further information and forms of application may be obtained from the County Nursing Officer, The Crescent, Truro.

E. T. VERGER,
Clerk of the County Council.

County Hall,
Truro.
17.4.61.

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PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES—CONTINUED ON SUPPLEMENT XXIV

SHEFFIELD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL, unless otherwise stated, from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance with the appropriate National Scales.

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

CITY HOSPITAL, NOTTINGHAM

(811 beds)

THIRD ASSISTANT MATRON

Applications are invited for the above post. The hospital is an acute general hospital with special units for orthopaedic, thoracic, cardiac and plastic surgery, and for geriatric, maternity and paediatric cases. General training school for Nurses and Part I Midwifery; also provides other post-graduate training.

Applications on forms available on request from the undersigned.

J. H. HARGREAVES,
Group Secretary.

Sherwood Hospital,
Hucknall Road, Nottingham.

NURSE TUTORS

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 beds). Two required: one, male or female, with Sister Tutor's Diploma, to work under Principal Sister Tutor (one of three), male—non-resident, female—resident or non-resident, and one, female, for Preliminary Training School, with Sister Tutor's Diploma, to work under Principal Sister Tutor. Resident or non-resident.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, NOTTINGHAM (683 beds). Required for Senior School. Female. Resident or non-resident.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

KING'S MILL HOSPITAL, SUTTON ROAD, SUTTON-IN-ASHFIELD (278 beds). For assisting teaching in Cadet School and relief of administrative duties. Good experience to be gained. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 beds). Two S.R.N.s to work under direction of Night Superintendent. In charge of Sections. Also Senior S.R.N., S.C.M., to work with Night Superintendent—theatre experience essential. Resident or non-resident.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, NOTTINGHAM (683 beds). Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

GENERAL HOSPITAL, NOTTINGHAM (573 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

HARLOW WOOD ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, Nr. MANSFIELD (Traumatic and Orthopaedic—338 beds). Third Theatre Sister for orthopaedic and traumatic surgery, with special hand surgery. Previous experience desirable, but not essential. Female, preferably resident.

SISTERS

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 beds; Maternity Department—135 beds and Premature Baby Unit—18 cots). Two Relief Sisters—one S.R.N., and one S.R.N., S.C.M., for General Wards; also one for Premature Baby Unit—S.R.N., S.C.M., experience in the care of the premature infant. Resident or non-resident.

FOREST HOSPITAL, SOUTHWELL ROAD, MANSFIELD (Infectious Diseases, Dermatology and Chronic Sick—96 beds). Permanent Relief Sister. S.R.N. To relieve on wards, etc. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 beds). One, S.R.N., for Plaster Unit, and six for General Wards, and one, S.R.N., for Receiving Ward. Female. Resident or non-resident.

ILKESTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, HEANOR ROAD, ILKESTON (Acute—54 beds). For Theatre, Out-patient and Casualty Departments. Female. Non-resident.

RETFORD COTTAGE HOSPITAL, NORTH ROAD, RETFORD (48 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 beds). Male, non-resident, for orthopaedic experience and plastic surgery experience. Also female, resident or non-resident, for thoracic surgery experience and theatre work. (All of six months' duration. A certificate is given at the end of the training). And female, resident or non-resident, S.R.N., S.C.M. or R.S.C.N., for training in the care of the premature infant.

HARLOW WOOD ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, Nr. MANSFIELD (Orthopaedic, with a high proportion of traumatic work—338 beds). Male or female. Twelve months' course in orthopaedic nursing for Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate. Hospital Certificate awarded, in addition, to successful candidate on completion of course. Resident or non-resident for females; non-resident for males.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 beds). For General Wards and one for Receiving Ward. Female. Resident or non-resident.

HEATHFIELD HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (164 beds). Infectious Disease Wards and Post-operative Ward. Female. Resident or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY NIGHT SUPERNTENDENT

KING'S MILL HOSPITAL, SUTTON ROAD, SUTTON-IN-ASHFIELD (278 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., for busy unit of 46 beds. Part II Training School. Resident or non-resident.

DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT MIDWIFE

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. essential, M.T.D. an advantage. This is a new appointment in a modern department. Maternity Department—135 beds and Premature Baby Unit of 18 cots. Resident or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY NIGHT SISTERS

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (Maternity Department—135 beds). Two S.R.N.s, S.C.M.s required for Maternity Department. Resident or non-resident.

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE—Contd.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 beds; Maternity Department—135 beds). Two S.R.N.s, S.C.M.s required. Resident or non-resident.

FIRS MATERNITY HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (Maternity Part II Training School—40 beds). S.R.N. and S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

NOTTINGHAM HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, PEEL STREET, NOTTINGHAM (Gynaecological and Obstetrical—156 beds). Junior S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 beds; Maternity Department—135 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

FIRS MATERNITY HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (Maternity Part II Training School—40 beds). S.R.N. and S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

NOTTINGHAM HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, PEEL STREET, NOTTINGHAM (Gynaecological and Obstetrical—156 beds). Two required. S.C.M., preferably S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

HEATHFIELD HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (164 beds). Infectious Disease Wards and Post-operative Ward. Female. Resident or non-resident.

LINCOLNSHIRE

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, LINCOLN

Approved by General Nursing Council as participants in a Scheme of training for the General Register

Applications are invited for the following appointments which will be available in the new **RADIOTHERAPY DEPARTMENT** which is being established:

WARD SISTERS for full-time duties.

STAFF NURSES. Full or part-time.

ENROLLED NURSES. Full or part-time.

Modern techniques in treatment and in ward design have been introduced and the bed complement will be 44, 20 of which will be hostel type accommodation for ambulant patients since the unit will serve Lincolnshire.

The department will be open for the reception of patients on 1st July, 19[illegible] and staff appointed before that date will assist in the establishment of the unit.

Applications, giving full particulars and the names and addresses of persons to whom reference can be made, should be forwarded to the Matron.

DEPARTMENTAL THEATRE SISTER

GRANTHAM AND KESTEVEN GENERAL HOSPITAL, GRANTHAM (119 beds, increasing to 163 shortly, and later to 209). Resident. Category "b". For busy General Nurse Training School. All types of general surgery, including gynaecological, orthopaedic and E.N.T. Excellent accommodation, including bed-sitting room in new nurses' home.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

JOHNSON HOSPITAL, SPALDING (General and Maternity—51 beds). To relieve Matron. Good administrative experience available. Resident or non-resident.

LONDON ROAD HOSPITAL, BOSTON (Accident and General Surgical Unit—81 beds). To take charge of Out-patient Clinics and assist generally in nursing administrative duties. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTER IN SOLE CHARGE

LONDON ROAD HOSPITAL, BOSTON (Accident and General Surgical Unit—81 beds). Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

JOHNSON HOSPITAL, SPALDING (General and Maternity—51 beds). For relief duties. Resident or non-resident.

WYBERTON WEST HOSPITAL, BOSTON (Medical and Maternity—55 beds). Senior Night Sister. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

GABLES HOSPITAL, HUNDLEBY, Nr. SPILSBY (Chronic—74 beds). Ward Sister. Progressive methods employed. Resident or non-resident.

GRACE SWAN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, SPILSBY (17 beds). Ward Sister for day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

IMMINGHAM HOSPITAL, IMMINGHAM (36 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident. This is a newly adapted hospital to be opened shortly for the treatment of elderly chronic sick.

LONDON ROAD HOSPITAL, BOSTON (Accident and General Surgical Unit—81 beds). Ward Sister for work on Female Ward. Resident or non-resident.

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, LONG LEYS ROAD, LINCOLN (242 beds). For Female Medical Ward (24 beds). Resident or non-resident.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTER

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, LONG LEYS ROAD, LINCOLN (242 beds). Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

BOSTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, SOUTH END, BOSTON (Acute—80 beds). For Male Surgical and Theatre. Also one, S.R.N. or R.S.C.N., full or part time, for duties on Children's Wards. Female. Resident or non-resident.

SHEFFIELD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

LINCOLNSHIRE—Contd.

STAFF NURSES—Continued

IMMINGHAM HOSPITAL, IMMINGHAM (36 beds). Female. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident. This is a newly adapted hospital to be opened shortly for the treatment of elderly chronic sick.

JOHNSON HOSPITAL, SPALDING (General and Maternity—51 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

LONDON ROAD HOSPITAL, BOSTON (Accident and General Surgical Unit—81 beds). Male or female, including one for Theatre and one for night duty. Resident or non-resident.

SKEGNESS AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DOROTHY AVENUE, SKEGNESS (General and Maternity—32 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

THE GABLES HOSPITAL, HUNDLEBY, Nr. SPILSBY (Chronic—74 beds). Day or nights. Female. Resident or non-resident.

WHITE HOUSE HOSPITAL, BOSTON (Infectious Diseases and Chest—50 beds). Full or part-time. S.R.N., R.F.N. or B.T.A. Female. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

JOHNSON HOSPITAL, SPALDING (General and Maternity—51 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

LONDON ROAD HOSPITAL, BOSTON (Accident and General Surgical Unit—81 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

WHITE HOUSE HOSPITAL, BOSTON (Infectious Diseases and Chest—50 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

JOHNSON HOSPITAL, SPALDING (General and Maternity—51 beds). One for night duty in small modern unit—three nights off each week; and two for day duty. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

GRIMSBY MATERNITY HOSPITAL, SECOND AVENUE, GRIMSBY (54 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

JOHNSON HOSPITAL, SPALDING (General and Maternity—51 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., for recently opened department. Resident or non-resident.

DERBYSHIRE

REGISTERED NURSE TUTOR

DERBYSHIRE ROYAL INFIRMARY, DERBY (416 beds). Sister Tutor for Preliminary Training School; graded as Tutor in Sole Charge. Resident. Also Tutor. Resident or non-resident. Block system of teaching.

HOLIDAY ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

DERBYSHIRE ROYAL INFIRMARY, DERBY (416 beds). Female. Resident.

NIGHT SISTER IN SOLE CHARGE

DERBYSHIRE HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, FRIARGATE, DERBY (71 beds). Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTER

CITY HOSPITAL, UTTOXETER ROAD, DERBY (260 beds). Second Theatre Sister. Immediate vacancy. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

MANOR HOSPITAL, UTTOXETER ROAD, DERBY (Geriatric—350 beds). Ward Sisters. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

CITY HOSPITAL, UTTOXETER ROAD, DERBY (260 beds). Theatre Staff Nurses (female) for day and night duty. Good theatre experience essential. Resident or non-resident.

DERBYSHIRE ROYAL INFIRMARY, DERBY (416 beds). For Wards, Departments and Theatres. Female. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHTINGALE MATERNITY HOME, PREMATURE BABY UNIT, LONDON ROAD, DERBY (18 beds). S.R.N. or S.C.M. or R.S.C.N., for day and night duty. Female. Resident or non-resident.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES

NIGHTINGALE MATERNITY HOME, LONDON ROAD, DERBY. **Premature Baby Nursing.** Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses, State Certified Midwives and Registered Sick Children's Nurses for a three months' course of training in the Premature Baby Unit, for which a certificate will be given. A shortened course of training of one month can be arranged for experienced Midwives. Salary according to qualifications (Staff Nurse or Staff Midwife).

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

CITY HOSPITAL, UTTOXETER ROAD, DERBY (260 beds). Female for day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.

VICTORIA MEMORIAL COTTAGE HOSPITAL, ASHBOURNE, Nr. DERBY (15 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

ASHGATE MATERNITY HOME, ASHGATE, CHESTERFIELD (24 beds). S.R.N. and S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.

CITY HOSPITAL, UTTOXETER ROAD, DERBY (260 beds). For Part I Midwifery Training School. Theatre experience an advantage. Willing to do some night duty. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHTINGALE MATERNITY HOME, LONDON ROAD, DERBY (Part II Midwifery Training School—31 beds). Resident or non-resident.

QUEEN MARY MATERNITY HOME, DUFFIELD ROAD, DERBY (Part II Midwifery Training School—36 beds). Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH YORKSHIRE

HOME SISTER

LODGE MOOR HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 10 (Infectious Diseases, Spinal Injuries and Tuberculosis patients—456 beds). To be responsible for nurses' home and to do relief administrative duties in hospital. Resident.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

FULLERTON HOSPITAL, DENABY MAIN, Nr. DONCASTER (Acute—41 beds). Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). Relief Sister for General Ward. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). Opportunity to attend Post-graduate Courses. Female. Resident or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). Busy unit of 106 beds providing excellent experience in both normal and abnormal midwifery. Eighty-eight hour fortnight. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). Busy department of 106 beds providing excellent experience in both normal and abnormal midwifery. Lectures in modern methods of teaching given. Easy access to City Centre and Derbyshire countryside. Resident or non-resident.

LEICESTERSHIRE AND RUTLAND

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

ELLEN TOWLE RECOVERY HOME, WOODHOUSE EAVES, Nr. LOUGHBOROUGH (20 beds). Sister in Charge. Departmental Grade B. S.R.N. Housekeeping experience an advantage. Resident. Applications to Matron, Loughborough General Hospital.

NIGHT SISTERS

LEICESTER ISOLATION HOSPITAL AND CHEST UNIT, GROBY ROAD, LEICESTER (328 beds). One of three under Night Superintendent. Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

MELTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, MELTON MOWBRAY (46 beds). Senior Night Sister. Resident or non-resident.

THE LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, INFIRMARY SQUARE, LEICESTER (506 beds). Two required. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

BOSWORTH PARK INFIRMARY, MARKET BOSWORTH (150 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N. or S.R.S.C.N., for Children's Ward of 36 beds. Resident or non-resident.

ELLEN TOWLE RECOVERY HOME, WOODHOUSE EAVES, Nr. LOUGHBOROUGH (20 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident. Applications to Matron, Loughborough General Hospital.

STAFF NURSES

ELLEN TOWLE RECOVERY HOME, WOODHOUSE EAVES, Nr. LOUGHBOROUGH (20 beds). S.R.N. Female. Resident or non-resident. Applications to Matron, Loughborough General Hospital.

LEICESTER ISOLATION HOSPITAL AND CHEST UNIT, GROBY ROAD, LEICESTER (328 beds). For Theatre—modern thoracic and cardiac techniques practised. Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

LOUGHBOROUGH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BAXTER GATE, LOUGHBOROUGH (100 beds). S.R.N. for Wards and Theatres. Female. Resident or non-resident.

MELTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, MELTON MOWBRAY (46 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

THE LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, INFIRMARY SQUARE, LEICESTER (506 beds). For day and night duty in very busy and active recovery home and for General Theatre Unit. Female. Resident or non-resident.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES

LEICESTER ISOLATION HOSPITAL AND CHEST UNIT, GROBY ROAD, LEICESTER (328 beds). Staff Nurses for one year Fever Training and one year T.B. Training. Also limited vacancies only for six months' Thoracic Surgery Training. Female or male. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

ELLEN TOWLE RECOVERY HOME, WOODHOUSE EAVES, Nr. LOUGHBOROUGH (20 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident. Applications to Matron, Loughborough General Hospital.

FRAMLAND HOSPITAL, MELTON MOWBRAY (40 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

LEICESTER ISOLATION HOSPITAL AND CHEST UNIT, GROBY ROAD, LEICESTER (328 beds). Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

LOUGHBOROUGH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BAXTER GATE, LOUGHBOROUGH (100 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

MELTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, MELTON MOWBRAY (46 beds). Interesting Theatre post. Female. Resident or non-resident.

THE LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, INFIRMARY SQUARE, LEICESTER (506 beds). For wards and departments. Day and night duty. Female. Resident or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

LEICESTER GENERAL HOSPITAL, GWENDOLEN ROAD, LEICESTER (450 beds). First Period Midwifery Training School—57 beds, 24 pupils. Senior Midwifery Sister; will also be required to act, temporarily, as **Deputy Superintendent Midwife.** Resident or non-resident.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, MELTON MOWBRAY (148 beds). Modern 23 bed Maternity Unit. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

MARKET HARBOROUGH HOSPITAL, COVENTRY ROAD, MARKET HARBOROUGH. Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, MELTON MOWBRAY (148 beds). Modern 23 bed Maternity Unit. Resident or non-resident.

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SHEFFIELD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

ASSISTANT CHIEF MALE NURSE

BALDERTON HOSPITAL, Nr. NEWARK (Male and female—252 beds, developing to approx. 600 beds). Hospital for treatment of sub-normal patients. Applicants should hold R.N.M.S. additionally, and S.R.N. would be an advantage. The successful applicant will be responsible for organisation and supervision of all patients' sports, social and training activities. Married or single accommodation available. Applications to the Group Secretary, Saxondale Hospital, Radcliffe-on-Trent, Nottingham, not later than 10th May, 1961.

WARD SISTERS

BALDERTON HOSPITAL, Nr. NEWARK (252 mixed beds at present, but eventually will reach 600). Hospital for treatment of mental sub-normality. Applicants should have R.N.M.S. qualification. Accommodation available if required. Application forms can be obtained from the Group Secretary, Saxondale Hospital, Radcliffe-on-Trent, Nottingham.

STAFF NURSES

BALDERTON HOSPITAL, Nr. NEWARK (252 beds, but increasing to approx. 600 beds). New hospital for mental sub-normality, and in process of development. Should hold R.N.M.S. Male. Resident or non-resident. Also housing accommodation for married men.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 beds; Maternity Department—135 beds). Six months' course for Part I Midwifery commencing on 1st May, August, November and February each year. Each course has one study day per week. Part II may be taken at The Firs Maternity Hospital, which is an associated hospital. Resident.

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (260 beds; 66 Maternity). Vacancies occur in February, May, August and November. Two years' training period for applicant without nursing experience, but reduced periods for trained staff. Minimum age, 20 years. Excellent opportunities for posts as Staff Midwives and Midwifery Sisters. Apply to the Matron, who will be pleased to provide full details and arrange an interview.

LEICESTER GENERAL HOSPITAL, GWENDOLEN ROAD, LEICESTER (454 beds). Vacancies for S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. occur on the 1st February, 1st May, 1st August and 1st November. Separate modern home for pupils. Training includes a weekly study day, instruction in the care of premature baby and attendance at relaxation classes. Wide experience can be gained in both normal and abnormal midwifery. Resident.

NETHER EDGE HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 11 (335 beds). Part II Training. A modern Maternity Department, of 76 beds, includes a Premature Baby Unit. District training is within the City. Schools commence June, September, December and March. The hospital is pleasantly situated within easy reach of the City. Resident or non-resident during hospital period of training.

NIGHTINGALE AND QUEEN MARY MATERNITY HOMES, DERBY. Part II Training Courses commence 1st June, September and December, and 1st March, 1962.

THE LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY MATERNITY HOSPITAL, CAUSEWAY LANE, LEICESTER (50 beds) Pupils are accepted for Part I Midwifery Training (six months' course). Courses commence 1st and 14th of May, August, November and February. Obstetric and paediatric lectures given by specialists and Sister Tutors. "Study day" scheme of midwifery education in operation. Good experience available in the care of premature babies and Human Milk Bank. Accommodation is separate from the hospital and is within five minutes' walk of the city centre. Resident.

WESTCOTES MATERNITY HOSPITAL, WESTCOTES DRIVE, LEICESTER (25 beds). Part II Midwifery Training School. Pupils accepted at the beginning of every month. The hospital is situated in its own pleasant grounds within easy reach of the city centre. Excellent examination results. Tutorials given by resident Sister Tutor. The Doctor Waler method of breast feeding in practice. Good district experience. Outdoor uniform provided whilst on district. Resident.

STUDENT NURSES

There aré vacancies for Student Nurses and Pupil Assistant Nurses at the undermentioned hospitals; training allowance and conditions of service in accordance with the Whitley Council scale. Full details and application forms from the Matron of the hospital concerned.

BRETBY HALL ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, BRETBY, Nr. BURTON-ON-TRENT (147 beds). Female, for orthopaedic training. Vacancies 1st September, 1961, and 1st January, 1962. Resident.

CARLTON HAYES HOSPITAL, NARBOROUGH, Nr. LEICESTER (Mental—410 male beds). Male. Resident or non-resident. Complete Psychiatric Training School situated five miles from Leicester, in spacious grounds. Good social activities. Frequent bus service from hospital gates. Twelve weeks in Preliminary Training School. Forty-four hour week. Apply to Chief Male Nurse.

CITY HOSPITAL, UTTOXETER ROAD, DERBY (260 beds). Male or female, age 18 years or over, for three years' General Training—two years if on Supplementary Register. Resident.

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 beds). Complete training school for male and female nurses, situated two miles from the City, in spacious grounds, with frequent bus service from the gates. Applicants must be 18 years of age and over. Preliminary Training Schools commence in January, April, July and October each year. Male, non-resident; Female, resident.

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LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

NURSING STAFF VACANCIES

TRAINEE NURSING ADMINISTRATOR—HOME NURSING SERVICE

Applications are invited from nurses with the qualifications S.R.N., S.C.N., H.V., with district training, for appointment to the Headquarter's Relief Staff, the first instance. Special consideration given to nurses interested in furt training with a view to obtaining a nursing administrative post.

DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIVES for:
Croston. Accommodation may be provided at a future date.
Garstang. Accommodation may be provided at a future date.
Lytham/Ansdell Area.

DISTRICT MIDWIVES for:
Ashton-under-Lyne. Flat available.
Padgate.
Hindley. Accommodation may be available.
Mossley.
Eccles.
Westhoughton. Accommodation may be available.
Denton. } Small flat available for one successful applicant.
Droylsden. }
Headquarters Reliefs.

DISTRICT NURSES for:
Padiham.
Kirkby. House available.
Headquarters Reliefs.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES for:
Colne. Flat available.
Denton.

HEALTH VISITORS/SCHOOL NURSES for:

Fleetwood.	**Leigh.**	**Royton.**
Darwen.	**Whitefield.**	**Eccles.**
Kirkby.	**Chadderton**	**Ormskirk.**
Farnworth.	**Crompton.**	**Swinton.**
Atherton.	**Failsworth.**	**Wigan Area.**
		Colne.

Car drivers preferred in all cases. Whitley Council salary scales (plus £50 annum for Headquarter's Relief Midwives).

Application forms from County Medical Officer of Health, Serial 3157, Cliff County Offices, Prestcn. Closing date: 15th May, 1961. (2781)

DEVON COUNTY COUNCIL

(Member of Queen's Institute)

DISTRICT NURSE/MIDWIVES

preferably with Queen's training, required in the following areas. Cars supp or allowance given for the use of own. Whitley scale of salary and condi of service.

Anstey, rural area, near South Molton
Lodgings, house later.
Barnstaple, North Devon
Flat available.
Brixham, South Devon
Flat available.
Dartmouth, South Devon
Double district. House available—suit two friends; or two separate fl
Hartland, North Devon
House available.
Horrabridge, Nr. Tavistock, South Devon
Lodgings—house or bungalow available later.
North Molton
House available.
Parkham, Nr. Bideford, North Devon
Lodgings—house or bungalow available later.
Plympton (two)
Flat available for one. Own arrangements or lodgings for one.
Tiverton, East Devon
Double district. Bungalow available—suit two friends.
Whiddon Down, Nr. Okehampton, Mid-Devon
House available.

Apply for conditions to the

County Medical Officer,
45 St. David's Hill, Exeter.

(2729)

CITY OF LIVERPOOL

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Municipal Midwives.** Sal and conditions of service in accordance with Whitley Council agreements.

Housing accommodation is available if required. Consideration will given to the provision of furnished accommodation in certain cases.

A rota system is in operation for night calls, and hours of duty are equiva to a five-day week.

Consideration will be given to the payment of a car mileage allowance alternatively, equivalent transport will be provided when necessary. Midw may participate in the authority's assisted car purchase scheme.

Application forms, obtainable from the Medical Officer of Health, He Garden, Liverpool, 3, should be returned as soon as possible. The appointm are superannuable and subject to the Standing Orders of the City Co Canvassing disqualifies.

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CITY OF OXFORD

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT FOR QUEEN'S TRAINING HOME

Experienced Queen's Sister required to act as District Nurse Tutor (u eight students; study day system of training) and to deputise for the Superinten in her absence. Must hold Health Visitor's Certificate. Motorist esse Resident or non-resident. Salary according to Nurses' and Midwives' Whi Council.

Application forms obtainable from the Medical Officer of Health, He Department, Greyfriars, Paradise Street, Oxford, to whom they should be retu

HARRY PLOWMAN,
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Town Hall,
Oxford.

EDINBURGH AND SOUTH-EAST REGION OF SCOTLAND

NURSING STAFF VACANCIES

STRATHEDEN HOSPITAL, CUPAR, FIFE

(1,025 beds: 500/599 female)

DEPUTY MATRON

Applications are invited for the post of **DEPUTY MATRON** from Registered General and Mental Nurses, for this progressive hospital with Theatre, X-ray and modern Psychiatric Unit. The hospital is a Training School for the Mental Register.

Salary £877 x £31 (2) x £32 (2) to £1,003, less £240 for residential emoluments.

Applications, stating age, qualifications, experience, with names of three referees, to Matron.

HERDMANFLATT HOSPITAL, HADDINGTON

(235 beds)

DEPUTY MATRON

Applications are invited for the post of **DEPUTY MATRON** from Registered General and Mental Nurses for this mental hospital. The hospital is in process of modernisation, and a new Admission Block is to be built. Intending applicants are invited to visit the hospital.

Salary £814 x £31 (2) x £32 (2) to £940, less £235 for residential emoluments.

Applications, stating age, qualifications, experience, with names of three referees, to the Secretary, East Lothian Hospital Group Board of Management, 31 Court Street, Haddington.

NURSE TUTOR: **CAMERON HOSPITAL, Windygates, Fife.** 172 beds. One vacancy for Registered Nurse Tutor, who is a Registered Fever Nurse, to train nurses for the Fever Register and for the Roll of the General Nursing Council.

HOME SISTER: **ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, Sciennes Road, Edinburgh.** 164 beds. Should be Registered General and Registered Sick Children's Nurse.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES: **BANGOUR GENERAL HOSPITAL, Broxburn, West Lothian.** 642 beds. Hospital certificate of proficiency offered on satisfactory completion of six months' course in Plastic and Maxillo Facial Nursing. Experience in wards and theatres. Salary as Staff Nurse.

PUPIL MIDWIVES: **BANGOUR GENERAL HOSPITAL, Broxburn, West Lothian.** 642 beds. Two vacancies for Part II Midwifery Training, commencing 1st June or 1st July, 1961.

Whitley Council salary scales and conditions of service will apply to the above appointments.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience and names of two referees, to be submitted to the Matron of the respective hospital for the above vacancies, unless otherwise stated.

Particulars of Nurse Training Schools and Ward Sister, Staff Nurse and S.E.A.N. vacancies may be obtained from the Regional Nursing Officer, South-Eastern Regional Hospital Board, Scotland, 11 Drumsheugh Gardens, Edinburgh, 3. (41)

BRECONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications are invited for the following posts which have or will become vacant on account of re-organisation of nursing areas and to replace existing staff due to retire.

(1) Health Visitor/School Nurse
(a) **Builth Rural** (Llanwrtyd and Beulah areas).

(2) District Nurse-Midwife
(a) **Brecon Urban and Rural Area** (Talybont district).
(b) **Hay Urban and Rural Area** (including Llanigon)
(c) **Builth Rural** (Llanwrtyd and Beulah areas).

(3) District Nurse-Midwife—Area Relief (permanent)
(a) **Brecon Urban and Rural Area.**
(b) **Brynmawr Urban and Crickhowell Rural (part) Area.**

Applicants for the Health Visitor's appointment must be qualified Health Visitors, and applicants for the other appointments must be S.R.N. and S.C.M., with or without district training.

Scholarships are offered to suitably qualified nurses for training as Queen's Nurses and/or Health Visitors.

The District Councils do all they can to see that Nurses in their areas are allocated houses. Houses are immediately available for the District Relief Nurse-Midwife, Brecon area, and the District Nurse-Midwife for the Hay Urban and Rural area.

Forms of application and further particulars can be obtained from the County Medical Officer, Health Department, Watton Offices, Brecon, and should be returned within two weeks of the appearance of this advertisement. (2914)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF READING

APPOINTMENT OF MUNICIPAL MIDWIFE

Applications are invited for the post of **Municipal Midwife.** Salary and conditions of service in accordance with the Whitley Council Award. Accommodation can be provided either in flats or in a nurses' home according to the preference of the applicant. A car can be provided, if required, or assistance given to purchase a car.

For further particulars apply to the Medical Officer of Health, Bristol and West House, 173/4 Friar Street, Reading, to whom applications should be returned as soon as possible. (2866)

YORKSHIRE—WEST RIDING COUNTY COUNCIL

APPOINTMENT OF SENIOR RELIEF MIDWIVES, HOME NURSES AND HOME NURSE-MIDWIVES

Applications are invited from suitably qualified nurses and midwives for the following new appointments on the Headquarters' staff:

One **Relief Midwife.** Doncaster area.
One **Relief Home Nurse.** Doncaster area.
Four **Relief Home Nurse-Midwives.** Shipley, Pontefract, Brighouse and Harrogate areas.

Salary and conditions of service will be in accordance with the Whitley Council recommendations, plus an additional payment of £50 0s. 0d. per annum and expenses when away from Headquarters.

Applicants should be able to drive a car.

Suitably qualified nurses and midwives are invited to apply for the following appointments:

HOME NURSE-MIDWIVES

Pontefract. Rural area. Double district—suit two friends. Unfurnished flat available.
Burley-in-Wharfedale, Nr. Leeds. Unfurnished house available.
Menston, Nr. Leeds. Unfurnished bungalow available.
Wetherby Area. Unfurnished house available.

MIDWIVES

Goole. Unfurnished house available.
Thorne, Nr. Doncaster.
Wombwell, Nr. Barnsley. Unfurnished house available.
Swallownest, Nr. Rotherham. Unfurnished house available.
Kilnhurst. Unfurnished house to be made available.
Rossington, Nr. Doncaster. Unfurnished house available.
Goldthorpe, Nr. Rotherham. Unfurnished house to be made available.

HEALTH VISITORS

Skipton.
Hoyland, Nr. Sheffield.
Castleford.
Rotherham Area.

Application forms, together with details relating to the above vacancies, may be obtained from the **County Medical Officer, County Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire.** (2939)

HEREFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

COMBINED HEALTH VISITOR/DISTRICT TRAINING

Scholarships are offered at recognised training centres to S.R.N., S.C.M.s. Generalised duties, home nursing, midwifery and health visiting to follow for two years on completion of training. Grant during Health Visitor's training of 75 per cent. of Health Visitor's salary scale plus tuition and examination fees.

APPOINTMENTS

Applications are invited for the following appointments:

Pontrilas (South-West Herefordshire). **District Nurse** for generalised or combined duties, according to qualifications. New house, furnished or unfurnished. Motorist—car provided or allowance for own car.

Hereford. District Nurse-Midwife or **Midwife.** Modern house, furnished or unfurnished. Motorist or willing to learn.

Application forms and terms of scholarships and appointments may be obtained from the County Medical Officer, 35 Bridge Street, Hereford. (2844)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

District Nurse-Midwives required in following districts of Mid-Essex Health Area.

Chelmsford and Great Baddow Area. Mainly midwifery. Two-bedroomed house provided.

Terling and Great Leighs. Rural area. Cottage available if required.

Cressing, Black Notley and part Braintree. Accommodation provided, if required.

Allowance payable for use of own car (County Council now operating an assisted car purchase scheme) or consideration given to provision of County car.

Further particulars and application forms from Area Medical Officer, 75 Springfield Road, Chelmsford. (2762)

CARMARTHENSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications invited for **Relief District Nurse-Midwife** for the Carmarthen area. Successful applicant will be based at Carmarthen. Applicants must be S.R.N., S.C.M. Salary in accordance with the Nurses' and Midwives' Whitley Council scale. Possession of a car an advantage, and travelling expenses paid on County Council scale. The Council may make a loan towards the cost of purchasing a car.

Application forms, obtainable from undersigned, to Chief Nursing Officer, 22 Wellfield Road, Carmarthen, by 24th May, 1961.

W. S. THOMAS,
Clerk of the County Council.

County Hall,
Carmarthen. (2818)

EAST SUFFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited from **District Nurse-Midwives** for a double district comprising part of Stowmarket and neighbouring parishes. Attractive new bungalow on outskirts of Stowmarket. Salary and conditions of service in accordance with national awards.

Further particulars from County Medical Officer, P.O. Box 36, County Hall, Ipswich. (2905)

LEICESTERSHIRE COUNTY NURSING ASSOCIATION

Applications are invited from District Nurse-Midwives for rural and semi-rural areas. Accommodation provided. Car allowance or car provided for use. Whitley Council scale of salary. Assistance with removal expenses would be considered.

Applications to County Superintendent, 21 Stoneygate Road, Leicester. (2896)

PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES—CONTINUED ON SUPPLEMENT XXVIII

LEEDS REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Management Committees, applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the Matron of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated), from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions are in accordance with the appropriate National Agreements.

KILLINGBECK HOSPITAL, YORK ROAD, LEEDS, 14

A Thoracic Surgical Unit of 64 beds is opening shortly under the charge of Mr. G. H. Wooler, F.R.C.S., Consultant Thoracic Surgeon.

Applications are invited for the following staff.

1. **NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT** (male or female)
Applicants must be widely experienced, with an up-to-date knowledge in the nursing of thoracic surgical patients, including heart surgery, and have experience in medical nursing of all forms of chest diseases. Possession of B.T.A. Certificate and/or Thoracic Surgical Nursing Certificate essential; experience in operating theatre an advantage.
2. **DEPARTMENTAL SISTER** in charge of Thoracic Surgical Unit
Applicants must have up-to-date experience in all forms of thoracic surgery, including heart surgery, and be in possession of Thoracic Surgical Nursing Certificate or have very wide experience in this branch of nursing. Operating theatre experience essential.
3. **NIGHT SISTER** and two **WARD SISTERS**
Applicants must have thoracic surgical nursing experience and possession of Thoracic Surgical Nursing Certificate desirable.
4. **TWO THEATRE SISTERS**
With previous theatre experience in thoracic surgery preferred.
5. **STAFF NURSES**
S.R.N. for Wards and Theatre—day and night duty.
6. **STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES**
For Wards and Theatre—day and night duty.

ASSISTANT MATRONS

CLAYTON HOSPITAL, Northgate, Wakefield (Acute—204 beds). Second Assistant Matron. Previous administrative experience desirable. Hospital is a training school for male and female Student Nurses. Good experience available. Application form from Group Secretary, Wakefield "A" Group Hospital Management Committee, 113 Northgate, Wakefield.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Halifax. Second Assistant Matron at the hospital which has 360 beds for geriatric patients and 173 beds for cases accommodated on behalf of the local authority.

SNAPETHORPE HOSPITAL, Broadway, Wakefield (Infectious Diseases, Tuberculosis, Chest Diseases, Post-operative, Surgical and Medical cases—101 beds). Deputy to the Matron. Hospital is a training school for Assistant Nurses. Resident. Application form from Group Secretary, 113 Northgate, Wakefield.

REGISTERED NURSE TUTORS

CITY AND COUNTY HOSPITAL, York (550 beds). Combined Training School. Qualified Tutor. Applications to Group Secretary.

PINDERFIELDS GENERAL HOSPITAL, Wakefield (606 beds). School of Nursing. Qualified Tutor (male or female) to take charge of Preliminary Training School. Post vacant now through retirement. Excellent teaching facilities and equipment. Applications to Group Secretary, Wakefield 'B' Group Hospital Management Committee, at the Hospital.

ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL (SOUTH), Leeds, 9 (General—725 beds). Male or female. "Study Day" system of training in operation. One of three working with a Principal Sister Tutor. Resident or non-resident.

WAKEFIELD "A" GROUP HOSPITALS' SCHOOL OF NURSING. Comprising Clayton and General Hospitals (General—349 beds). School buildings situated at the Clayton Hospital, Wakefield. Qualified or unqualified, under direction of Principal of School. Male or female. (If male, non-resident.) Candidates must have had experience in teaching students on wards and have held a Ward Sister or Ward Charge Nurse post in a general hospital. Application form from Group Secretary, Wakefield "A" Group H.M.C., 113 Northgate, Wakefield.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

HARROGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Knaresborough Road, Harrogate (General and Maternity—260 beds). Experienced Nursing Administrative Sister. Early promotion a possibility. R.C. of N. Administrative Certificate an advantage.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Boothferry Road, Goole (Chronic Sick and Medical—110 beds). Departmental Sister (Category C).

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER (RELIEF)

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY (SUTTON) (General—214 beds). For holidays. Applications to the Matron, Hull Royal Infirmary, Prospect Street, Hull.

SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL
RIPLEY ROAD, KNARESBOROUGH

(Chest Diseases, Surgery and Gynaecology—276 beds)

The following staff are required for a Private Block of 24 beds (16 pay beds and 8 amenity beds) to be opened shortly at this hospital:

WARD SISTERS.

STAFF NURSES, S.R.N.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES.

NURSING AUXILIARIES.

This block has been converted and equipped specially for this purpose and forms part of a scheme for developing the work of the hospital. Scotton Banks Hospital is situated in delightful surroundings within easy reach of Harrogate, transport facilities being provided to and from Knaresborough. Ample off duty; recreational facilities are available (the hospital has its own cinema). These posts can be resident or non-resident.

Applications should be sent to the Matron, Scotton Banks Hospital, Ripley Road, Knaresborough.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, KEIGHLEY, YORKSHIRE
CLASS I MATERNITY UNIT

The undermentioned staff are required for the above new unit opening shortly.

The unit is approved as a Part I Midwifery Training School for State Enrolled Nurses (12 months' course) and those with no nursing qualifications (18 months' course) and is under the control of a Consultant Obstetrician with regular visits by a Paediatrician. It comprises 26 lying-in beds, 20 ante-natal beds, premature baby unit, theatres and ante- and post-natal clinics. Gas and air analgesia training is available.

TUTOR (preferably with M.T.D.).

SISTERS for day and night duty (theatre experience an advantage, but not essential).

STAFF MIDWIVES for day and night duty.

STATE ENROLLED NURSES.

NURSERY NURSES.

PUPIL MIDWIVES.

Resident or non-resident. Forty-four hour week.

The hospital is pleasantly situated within easy reach of Leeds and Bradford, Yorkshire Dales, Lake District and coast.

Further particulars from Matron.

HOME SISTERS

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Batley (General—99 beds). Suitable post for anyone wishing to train for administration.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Dewsbury (General—128 beds). S.R.N. with additional administrative duties. Suitable post for anyone wishing to train for administration.

NIGHT SISTER (In Sole Charge)

SNAPETHORPE HOSPITAL, Broadway, Wakefield (Infectious Diseases, Tuberculosis, Chest Diseases, Post-operative, Surgical and Medical cases—101 beds). Female Senior Night Sister. Full-time (four nights per week). Post vacant May. Application form from Group Secretary, 113 Northgate, Wakefield.

NIGHT SISTERS

HARROGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Knaresborough Road, Harrogate (General and Maternity—259 beds). Resident or non-resident.

HULL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Hedon Road, Hull (Maternity—74 beds). Resident or non-resident.

SANDAL GRANGE HOSPITAL, Walton Lane, Sandal, Wakefield (Geriatric and Chronic Sick—40 beds, male and female). Non-resident.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Batley (General—99 beds).

THEATRE SISTERS

BARTHOLOMEW HOSPITAL, Bartholomew Avenue, Goole (Surgical—44 beds). Junior Theatre Sister. Resident or non-resident.

CHAPEL ALLERTON HOSPITAL, Leeds, 7 (General—259 beds). For General Theatre.

CLAYTON HOSPITAL, Northgate, Wakefield (Acute—204 beds). For General Theatres. Post offers good opportunities for varied experience. Resident or non-resident.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, Bradford, Yorkshire (General—724 beds). Establishment: five. Previous theatre experience essential. Forty-four hour week.

SISTERS

ADELA SHAW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, Kirbymoorside, York (96 beds). Ward Sisters, also Junior Ward Sisters, required.

CITY HOSPITAL, Haxby Road, York (General Training School—180 beds). For Women's Orthopaedic Ward.

CLAYTON HOSPITAL, Northgate, Wakefield (Acute—204 beds). Relief Sister for ward duties. Resident or non-resident.

COOKRIDGE HOSPITAL, Leeds, 16 (Radiotherapy—87 beds). Ward Sister, full-time. Also Junior Ward Sister, full-time. Resident or non-resident.

EAST RIDING GENERAL HOSPITAL, Bridlington Road, Driffield, E. Yorks (247 beds). For Male Chronic Ward, required for the above pleasantly situated hospital, 12 miles distant from the sea. Facilities for living in, if required.

HEADLANDS HOSPITAL, Skinner Lane, Pontefract (Geriatric—208 beds).

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY, Prospect Street, Hull. For Female Orthopaedic Ward.

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY (SUTTON) (General—214 beds). Ward Sister for Gynaecological Ward. Also Junior Sister required for the Paediatric Ward. S.R.N. and R.S.C.N. Applications to the Matron, Hull Royal Infirmary, Prospect Street, Hull.

MIRFIELD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Mirfield (Surgical Annexe—18 beds). Female Ward Sister. Resident or non-resident. Apply to Matron, The General Hospital, Dewsbury.

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, Rothwell, Nr. Leeds (Geriatric—309 beds). Training School for Assistant Nurses. Ward Sisters, full or part-time, for Geriatric Wards. Resident or non-resident.

COUNTY HOSPITAL, MONKGATE, YORK

(General—222 beds)

WARD SISTER for Female Orthopaedic Ward (16 beds). Post vacant mid-June. Orthopaedic experience and certificate preferable.

SISTER for Out-patient Department.

LEEDS REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

SISTERS—Contd.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Batley (General—99 beds). Ward Sister for Female Ward. Also Ward Sister for Male Ward.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Dewsbury (General—128 beds). Junior Sister for Children's Ward. Also Junior Ward Sister for Female Surgical Ward.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

CARLTON LODGE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Leeds Road, Harrogate (Maternity—13 beds). For three months. Full-time. Preferably resident.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Batley (General—99 beds).

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY (SUTTON) (General—214 beds). For General Theatre. Applications to the Matron, Hull Royal Infirmary, Prospect Street, Hull.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Batley (General—99 beds).

STAFF NURSES (Female)

ADELA SHAW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, Kirbymoorside, York (96 beds).

CHAPEL ALLERTON HOSPITAL, Leeds, 7 (General—259 beds). For General Theatre. Experience also given in Neurosurgical Theatre, if desired.

CITY HOSPITAL, Haxby Road, York (General Training School—180 beds). Staff Nurses required—one with R.S.C.N.

CLAYTON HOSPITAL, Northgate, Wakefield (Acute—204 beds). For Wards. Day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.

COOKRIDGE HOSPITAL, Leeds, 16 (Radiotherapy—87 beds). Full or part-time for night duty. Also one for duties in Theatre and Ward. Resident or non-resident.

COUNTY HOSPITAL, Monkgate, York (General Training School—222 beds). For Male Orthopaedic Ward—orthopaedic experience and certificate preferable.

FULFORD HOSPITAL, Naburn Lane, York (General—149 beds). Staff Nurse or S.E.A.N. for night duty; also Staff Nurse for Male Geriatric Ward—day duty.

HARROGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Knaresborough Road, Harrogate (General and Midwifery—260 beds). Staff Nurses required for General Wards. Also some, part-time, for night duty. Three or four nights per week. Casualty experience an advantage.

HEADLANDS HOSPITAL, Skinner Lane, Pontefract (Geriatric—208 beds).

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY (SUTTON) (General—214 beds). For Medical and Surgical Ward; also one for Children's Ward. Applications to the Matron, Hull Royal Infirmary, Prospect Street, Hull.

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY, Prospect Street, Hull. For Female Orthopaedic Ward, E.N.T Ward, Male Surgical Ward and Ophthalmic Ward.

KINGSTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, Beverley Road, Hull (General—419 beds). Full or part-time.

MILITARY HOSPITAL, Fulford Road, York (General—60 beds). For night duty.

POPPLETON HALL HOSPITAL, Nether Poppleton, York (General—31 beds).

PUBLIC DISPENSARY AND HOSPITAL, Leeds, 2. Full-time for E.N.T. and Ophthalmic Department.

ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL, Cornwall Road, Harrogate (Rheumatic Diseases—147 beds). For Out-patient Department. 8.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.; half-day—Saturday; day off—Sunday. Also one required for the Male Medical Ward. Resident or non-resident.

SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL, Ripley Road, Knaresborough (Chest Diseases, Surgery and Gynaecology—276 beds). For Wards and Theatre.

SNAPETHORPE HOSPITAL, Broadway, Wakefield (Partly Acute—101 beds). Residence optional.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Batley (General—99 beds). For night duty and casualty.

THE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Dewsbury (General—128 beds). For Female Surgical Ward. Also one required for night duty.

THE ROYAL INFIRMARY, Huddersfield (General—285 beds). Vacancies in Operating Theatre, also Casualty Department. One vacancy in Children's Ward, preferably with S.R.N., R.S.C.N. Resident or non-resident.

WHITLEY GRANGE HOSPITAL, Dewsbury (Chest Diseases—30 beds). Resident or non-resident.

YEARSLEY BRIDGE HOSPITAL, Huntington Road, York (Infectious Diseases—74 beds). R.F.N. preferred.

STAFF NURSES (Male)

COOKRIDGE HOSPITAL, Leeds, 16 (Radiotherapy—87 beds). Staff Nurse or S.E.A.N. for day duty.

ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL, Cornwall Road, Harrogate (Rheumatic Diseases—147 beds). For the Male Medical Ward. Non-resident.

SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL, Ripley Road, Knaresborough (Chest Diseases, Surgery and Gynaecology—276 beds). For Wards and Theatre.

POST REGISTRATION COURSES

HULL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Hedon Road, Hull (Maternity—74 beds). Premature Baby and Neo-Natal Unit. Applications are invited from Midwives, S.R.N. with Part I Certificate of the C.M.B., and Registered Sick Children's Nurses, for training in this new department which provides facilities for modern treatment. Course will be for six months. Certificate on completion.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

CHAPEL ALLERTON HOSPITAL, Leeds, 7 (General—259 beds). Full or part-time for Medical and Surgical Wards.

COOKRIDGE HOSPITAL, Leeds, 16 (Radiotherapy—87 beds). Female. Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

DEIGHTON GROVE HOSPITAL, Crockey Hill, York (General—44 beds). For day duty.

DUNELM HOSPITAL, Cornwall Road, Harrogate (Rheumatic Diseases—22 beds). Now an annexe to Royal Bath Hospital. Resident or non-resident. Off duty arranged to include a half day and one day off, and long morning (duty commencing at 12 noon).

HARROGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Knaresborough Road, Harrogate (General and Maternity—259 beds). For night duty. Three or four nights a week. Casualty experience an advantage.

HEADLANDS HOSPITAL, Skinner Lane, Pontefract (Geriatric—208 beds).

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES—Contd.

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY, Prospect Street, Hull. Male or female.

KINGSTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, Beverley Road, Hull (General—419 beds). Female or male. Non-resident.

LAMBERT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Chapel Street, Thirsk, Yorks. (General—23 beds).

PUBLIC DISPENSARY AND HOSPITAL, Leeds, 2. For Out-patient Clinic. To commence July.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, Leeds, 12. Resident or non-resident.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, Huntington Road, York (Geriatric—263 beds).

ST. MONICA'S HOSPITAL, Easingwold, Yorks. (General—10 beds).

SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL, Ripley Road, Knaresborough (Chest Diseases, Surgery and Gynaecology—276 beds). Male or female, required for Wards and Theatre.

YEARSLEY BRIDGE HOSPITAL, Huntington Road, York (Infectious Diseases—74 beds).

YORKSHIRE HOME, Cornwall Road, Harrogate (Chronic Sick—70 beds). Resident or non-resident. Off duty arranged to include a half day and one day off, and long morning (duty commencing at 12 noon).

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

CROSSLEY MATERNITY HOME, Mirfield (15 beds). Resident or non-resident.

MORLEY HALL MATERNITY HOME, Morley (11 beds).

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, Leeds, 12 (Maternity—113 beds). Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

THE ROYAL INFIRMARY, Huddersfield (General—285 beds). Night duty. Unit of 15 beds, specialising in abnormal midwifery. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

CARLTON LODGE MATERNITY HOME, Leeds Road, Harrogate (Maternity—13 beds). Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

HULL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Hedon Road, Hull (Maternity—74 beds). Excellent experience in all departments.

KINGSTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, Beverley Road, Hull (General—419 beds). Two required for day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

MANYGATES HOSPITAL, Barnsley Road, Wakefield (Maternity—35 beds). Day or night duty. Residence optional.

ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL (MATERNITY), Leeds, 9 (Maternity—66 beds). Full-time.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, Leeds, 12 (Maternity—113 beds). Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

SEACROFT MATERNITY HOME, Queen Street South, Withernsea, East Yorkshire (10 beds). Resident or non-resident. Applications to the Matron, Hull Maternity Home, Hedon Road, Hull.

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(2930)

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(AMENDED ADVERTISEMENT)

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SUPERINTENDENT OF NURSING
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(Miss) J. M. HELLIER,
Secretary.

" Redhills House ",
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(2986)

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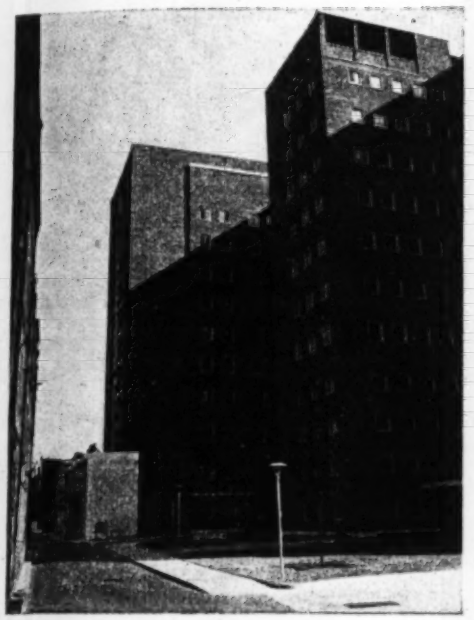

NEW GUY'S HOUSE. The 11-storey surgical block, close to Old Guy's House, is now completed. It provides 378 beds in 14 wards of 27 beds each, 10 operating theatres, radiotherapy and casualty departments, a University department floor and accommodation for nursing and residential medical staff. (*See also page 551.*)

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Better Health Visiting

EVER SINCE the National Health Service came into being, much time, money and effort has been spent in attempting to forge closer links between its three component parts—the family doctor services, the hospital services, and the local authority health services.

The forging of these links has been more difficult in some areas than in others. District nurses and family doctors had a long tradition of working happily and co-operatively together before 1948, and the administrative structure of the NHS has had no noticeable adverse effect on this relationship. The work of the health visitor, however, was never well understood by the majority of busy family doctors, and in recent years the health visitor's work and responsibilities have changed and widened. In spite of attempts to promote closer co-operation, in many parts of the country the health visitor looks after her area, the doctor cares for his practice, and the two seldom meet.

A new pamphlet, *The Health Visitor and the Family Doctor*, has now been published jointly by the Royal College of Nursing and the College of General Practitioners. It is summarized on page 560. It draws attention to a pattern of work that is now established in several parts of the country—the attachment of health visitors to doctors' practices.

The pamphlet declares: 'The future of good health visiting and good general practice lies in establishing a successful working partnership between the family doctor and the health visitor.' Health visitors working with family doctors find their work enriched, relationships with patients easier, and their usefulness increased.

The pamphlet faces the difficulties: 'It is sometimes said that there are not enough health visitors to undertake existing requirements, let alone to work in close co-operation with family doctors.' In answer to this objection it is pointed out that if all health visitors were freed from tasks which less skilled people could do, the shortage would not be so great.

The difficulties inherent in the health visitor being appointed and paid by the local health authority and at the same time working as a colleague of the family doctor have been shown to be capable of solution. It now remains to put the solution into wide effect. This publication by the Royal College of Nursing and the young and progressive College of General Practitioners points the way.

News and Comment

'Back to Nursing'

SPECIAL 'BACK TO NURSING' courses have been organized by the Birmingham RHB to encourage State-registered nurses to return to the profession and to do so with greater confidence. One is to be held at Selly Oak Hospital from May 8 to 19, another at Little Bromwich General Hospital from July 4 to 18. Lectures will be given to the nurses on new developments and advances in nursing; the syllabus includes observation of practical nursing in wards and departments. As can be seen in *In Parliament* (page 576), the Bishop of Lichfield has recently advocated refresher courses to encourage those nurses who 'thought they had become rusty and were not used to new techniques'. As the *Nursing Times* has emphasized more than once, there must be many married women who would benefit from such courses and who could give valuable part-time if not full-time service in hospitals.

Princess Alexandra presents a certificate to Miss G. M. Rowe ▶ of St. Thomas's Hospital, one of the 14 trained nurses awarded HSA scholarships in 1960 (see also HSA—Royal occasion).

Nurses watch some of the Christian Dior models prepare for the fashion show held in aid of the Royal College of Nursing Appeal ▼ Fund at Sutton Place, the home of Mr. Paul Getty.

New Ophthalmic Certificate

A CERTIFICATE OF PROFICIENCY in ophthalmic nursing is now available to State-enrolled nurses who complete a 15-month course at a hospital recognized by the Ophthalmic Nursing Board as a full training school. Examinations will normally be conducted in the candidate's own hospital. They will consist of a practical and viva voce assessment, together with a consideration of records of the candidate's work during training and of written answers to simple questions.

RSH Congress, Blackpool

'EMIGRATION to other planets might be the only solution to the problem of over-population', said Sir Arthur Massey, chairman, in his inaugural address to the Royal Society of Health Congress, held in Blackpool last week. He also forecast that 'the time is approaching when, at this congress, we shall have a section on space health.' Sir Arthur recalled that 25 years ago he spoke at a similar conference on the international spread of disease through air travel. Now the problems of interplanetary spread of disease might arise. A new feature of the congress was a social workers' conference, at which the president was Miss Eileen Younghusband.

Operational Research in Oxford Region

PROJECTS SELECTED for immediate inquiry have been recommended to the Oxford RHB by its executive committee. They are: experimental ward; evaluation of progressive nursing care; quality of hospital medical care; effect of short duration of stay in hospital. These suggested studies resulted from the conclusions drawn at the two-day conference of the Nuffield Provincial Hospital Trust last December—that there was a need for operational research to be carried out in the health services. It is salutary to contemplate the possibility of a regional board leading the way in research into a nursing subject instead of the nursing profession itself.

HSA—Royal Occasion

PRINCESS ALEXANDRA presented scholarship award certificates to trained nurses on behalf of the Hospital Saving Association at a delightful ceremony in Westminster last week. Scholarship winners in this 1960

series comprised nurse administrators (hospital and public health), sister tutors, midwife teachers, health visitors and occupational health nurses, and they came from the following hospitals: Guy's, St. Thomas's, King's College, The London, Westminster, Edgware General, Hackney, Whittington, Mayday Hospital, Croydon, and Buchanan Hospital, St. Leonards-on-Sea. The scholarships are awarded annually by the HSA, in collaboration with the Royal College of Nursing, and a number of distinguished nurses were present in the Central Hall which was packed to capacity.

Hospital Efficiency Studies

SUBSTANTIAL FINANCIAL SAVINGS are claimed as a result of work study in *Abstracts of Efficiency Studies in the Hospital Service*, published by the Stationery Office last week. These first seven studies concern treatment sessions in a dental hospital, the planning of a hospital laundry, the organization of work in a hospital sewing room, the delivery of specimens to a pathological laboratory, the photographic reproduction of pathological reports, the layout of a dispensary, and the organization of a group transport system. In the sewing room study, it was estimated that about £1,000 a year could be saved in a 600-bed hospital by fitting most of the nursing staff with ready-made or partly ready-made dresses bought from an outside firm, instead of making up the dresses individually in the sewing room.

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Going Overseas

A THREE-DAY COURSE for women going to work overseas (and for others coming from overseas to the UK) to help them to settle down more easily has been held this week at the Colonial Office. The courses, which are to be held twice yearly, are being arranged by the Women's Corona Society; they provide information about life overseas, life in the tropics, health, human relations, and suggestions for the use of leisure in the new setting. Visitors and students arriving in this country will find in these courses an opportunity to ask advice and to make friends.

NEW GUY'S HOUSE

£2¼ million surgical block now completed

The new Guy's surgical block is one of the largest hospital buildings to be constructed in London since the war. Above: a general view inside one of the 14 wards (27 beds in each). Right: in the nurses' station in the corner of one of the L-shaped wards. Beside each bed is a call switch which registers a signal on the panel seen in front of the nurse.

NURSING

The Nurse and the Anaesthetic

1. Before Anaesthesia

BRIAN D. JOHNSON, F.F.A.R.C.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.A.,
Consultant Anaesthetist, Leicester Hospitals

This is the first of a series of four articles on the duties of the nurse with the anaesthetized patient. In his first article Dr. Johnson describes the care of the patient who is about to be taken to the theatre, with particular emphasis on the real value to the patient of the nurse's presence.

FROM QUITE EARLY ON in her career, the nurse is often required to bring patients down from the ward to the anaesthetic room, and also to accompany them back to the ward when the operation is over.

These articles, then, will discuss essentially practical matters, but at the outset some consideration must be given to the condition in which the patient must be before any anaesthetic can be given.

An Empty Stomach

First, the stomach must be empty. During the induction of anaesthesia there is always the chance that the patient will vomit or, which is perhaps more dangerous, the contents of the stomach may silently regurgitate up the oesophagus into the throat. In the conscious patient any such material would be spewed out of the mouth, but under partial anaesthesia the reflex mechanism which brings this action about is obtunded, and there is a very real danger that the gastric contents will enter the trachea and bronchi and thus drown the patient.

It is for this reason that the patient is not allowed to take food for several hours before operation, at least four hours in normal circumstances, and even before this only in small quantities. But it must be borne in mind that should an individual suffer shock, either psychological or physical, or should a woman go into labour, the normal emptying mechanism of the stomach is delayed and under these circumstances food remains in the stomach for many hours after it has been taken.

Should it become necessary, therefore, to operate on a patient with a full stomach, it must be emptied. This may be achieved by sucking up the contents through a large-bore oesophageal tube, the larger the safer; for the chances of a recently swallowed baked bean passing through the minute holes in a Ryle's tube are certainly no greater than those of the proverbial camel attempting to pass through the eye of a needle. Occasionally a centrally acting emetic such as apomorphine is given to produce emptying of the stomach by the process of vomiting. So, if the nurse is instructed to empty the stomach by means of a tube before the patient is brought down, let her pass a big one.

Premedication

Secondly, the patient must be given premedication. Briefly, the objects of premedication are twofold. First to produce some degree of drowsiness and calm, and secondly to prevent the excessive secretion of mucus within the mouth and respiratory passages during the induction of anaesthesia. Hence drugs known as anti-saliagogues are included in the premedication, scopolamine or atropine being those most commonly employed.

These drugs are usually given by subcutaneous injection, and like all drugs given by this route take some time before their action is apparent—say three-quarters of an hour to an hour-and-a-half.

When the List is Changed

Sometimes, owing to unforeseen circumstances, an operating list has to be changed and it becomes necessary to advance the time at which a given patient will actually have his operation. Unless the liaison between the ward and the theatre is good, it may come as a surprise to the ward staff to find the porter at the door ready to take the patient to theatre. One must admit that it has been known for such a patient to be hurriedly 'stretchered' and for the premedication to be given almost as he is wheeled through the portals of the ward. Of course, this is all quite useless, for the drugs administered will have no time to act, and a serious and even dangerous situation may arise should an excess of mucus be produced within the air passages on the induction of anaesthesia. Furthermore, the anaesthetist can do very little by way of giving more premedication by the intravenous route as the initial dose has already been introduced into the body and any further dose may produce a cumulative effect. His only safe course is to delay the operation. There is also this consideration—if the operation cannot so easily be delayed, and if an opiate has formed part of the premedication, the depression of respiration which this will produce will have its maximal effect at the end of the operation when it is desirable for the patient to be breathing deeply.

Should it come about, then, that the ward is caught out in the timing of premedication, the correct pro-

cedure is to withhold all drugs and inform the anaesthetist, who can then give suitable drugs in suitable doses intravenously in the anaesthetic room.

The nurse should always know the time at which the premedication has been given before she leaves the ward and thus be able to give this information to the anaesthetist if asked. She should also know what premedication drugs have been used. This is because it is sometimes necessary for a member of the medical staff other than the anaesthetist to order the premedication and the anaesthetist may want to modify his administrations in view of the drugs already given or not given. For example, most anaesthetists consider that atropine should be given to patients who are to be anaesthetized with halothane (Fluothane) and, if some other form of premedication has been given, they may well decide to give atropine before the patient is 'induced'.

Fig. 1
Wrong. The neck extended. The nurse's mind—where?

Fig. 2
Right. The neck flexed. The nurse's mind on the patient.

Position on the Trolley

Next, consideration must be given to the position of the patient on the trolley. It is terribly important that the patient be made as comfortable as possible. To lie flat on one's back with the neck extended is uncomfortable enough in a fit young person and always leads to a sense of insecurity; but for an elderly patient with even mild cardiac or respiratory embarrassment, or for a woman great with child, to be put in this position is well-nigh criminal. The gratitude received when one offers to give an extra pillow to one so placed is proof enough indeed of this.

One factor which leads to the danger of placing the patient in such an uncomfortable position is the 'stretchering' of the patient too far up the trolley, so that the single pillow is inadequately supported on the bar. The patient should always be placed well down the trolley—although not with the feet hanging over the far end—and the pillow doubled if necessary to ensure an adequate flexion of the neck. In patients with rheumatoid arthritis the neck is often fixed in a flexed position and must then be supported by several pillows if necessary. (Figs. 1 and 2.)

Another point might well be mentioned here: anyone who has travelled by air will have observed the discretion with which the vomit bags are almost concealed from the sight of the passenger. No doubt the airways corporations realize that, if one holds a bag with 'VOMIT' writ large upon it in the vicinity of a possibly frightened passenger, the chances are that he will want to use it. Yet in certain hospitals one still sees bowls and vomit cloths thus labelled placed by the side of a patient's face during his journey from the ward and in the anaesthetic room. Such a proximity is not unlikely to suggest, at least subconsciously, that these have been so placed for a reason and the fulfilment of their purpose is not too distant a step. Vomit bowls and cloths should, therefore, be concealed from the patient's view, which can easily be done while yet leaving them ready to hand.

'Always keep a-hold of Nurse'

But perhaps one of the most important things a ward nurse should bear in mind is the real value of her presence to the patient. It is so easy to regard the patient as 'another appendicectomy', but it must be ever remembered that the patient is not 'an appendicectomy'; she is Mrs. Jones, who is undergoing a somewhat terrifying and certainly a most important experience. She will surely feel at a disadvantage and possibly frightened as well.

Now it is a common experience with human nature that, when people are frightened, they tend to hang on to whoever or whatever is familiar to them and the very familiarity of this person or object gives them confidence and may enable them to brace themselves up to face the ordeal which lies before them.

Our patient comes from the ward which she has just begun to know into new and possibly terrifying surroundings, the sight of apparatus and the presence of figures gowned and masked moving towards her. The one bollard of stability to which she automatically tends to fasten herself is the one person she knows or at least has seen before—the ward nurse. How many times does one hear the patient say 'You'll stay with me, won't you, nurse?' And it matters not how junior the nurse may be; it is her familiarity which gives the patient strength and confidence, and the reassuring touch of her hand will often lighten the burden of anxiety.

Perhaps one might remember Belloc's cautionary advice:

And always keep a-hold of Nurse
For fear of finding something worse.

But if all this be true, what harm cannot be done by the nurse who is plainly bored with the whole proceedings, withholds the word of comfort or, what is worse, relates to her colleague in a voice anything but quiet: 'My dear, the last gall bladder has collapsed.'

Soldiers have sometimes said that, when in the dangers of battle, every slight feature of the landscape or the most trivial of conversation has stood out with piquant clarity in their minds. So it often is with the patient about to undergo a surgical operation, and the whole reputation of a hospital may well hang on how the ward nurse in the anaesthetic room deports herself.

The Patient can Hear

If, by any chance, anaesthesia is to be induced by a slow method, such as by nitrous oxide, one must always remember that the last of the senses to succumb to the influence of the vapour is the sense of hearing, and that, before this sense is obtunded, it may often be increased. This means that there will be a short period of time during which the patient will be lying on the trolley apparently asleep, but still able to hear. An untactful or even disparaging personal remark made by an injudicious nurse may well be the last thing the patient remembers before the operation—and the first thing which comes to mind on recovery.

Disposable Rubber Gloves

A DISPOSABLE LATEX surgeon's glove has been developed by the London Rubber Company. In the first place they propose to package the gloves in pairs in a sterilizable paper wallet with left and right hand compartments containing the gloves with reversed cuffs, and a packet of Biosorb glove powder. The wallet merely needs closing with autoclavable tape (see *Nursing Times*, December 30, 1960, p. 1621), and the gloves are ready for steam sterilization. Both smooth and roughened finishes are available.*

Pre-sterilization by Gamma-irradiation

The same firm are developing a packaging in which an identical glove will be pre-sterilized by gamma-irradiation. These gloves will also be treated chemically to avoid the need for glove powder. It is claimed that gamma-irradiation is the most effective method of sterilizing gloves. There is no residual radioactivity.

The object in producing a pre-sterilized, disposable rubber glove is to provide the surgeon and theatre staff with an article ready for use that can be guaranteed sterile, free from holes, and which will not tear when it is drawn on to the hand. At the same time the nursing staff is relieved of much unnecessary labour.

Defects of Traditional Methods

Traditional methods of testing used gloves for holes have been shown to be faulty. When a glove is inflated and sealed by holding the wrist-band, swinging the whole glove over it several times, almost half the palm is rolled on itself and excluded from the inflated part. Punctures in the lower half of the palm may not be detected. In addition, small punctures between the fingers may be missed. Inflation of the glove will not only stretch it and alter the fit, but may cause additional punctures. According to Williams *et al.*†, careful examination of 200 gloves packed for sterilization after testing in this way revealed nine punctures.

**Regent Disposable Surgeon's Gloves (non-sterile). London Rubber Company. 21s. per doz. pairs for minimum orders of 3 doz. pairs.*

†Hospital Infection: Causes and Prevention. Williams, Blowers, Garrod and Shooter. Lloyd-Luke, 1960.

PATIENT-TROLLEYS

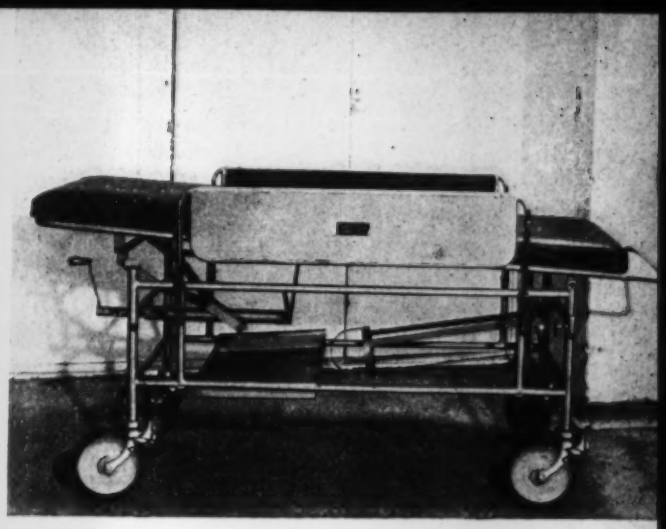
— for various hospital needs

If you don't know the answer to a question, the next best thing is to know where to find it. This applies as much to hospital problems as to anything else, and in this case one of the ways of finding the answer is to put your problem to a manufacturer.

Most manufacturers are only too pleased to be given the opportunity to help. We were particularly impressed with what happened when hospitals approached the firm of A. C. Daniels and Co. Ltd. with their problems, and we asked Mr. A. C. Daniels to tell us the story.

The first was a London teaching hospital where an unusually high proportion of weekend casualties were alcoholics and drug addicts, who were liable to fall off the usual types of patient-trolley. This hospital was also concerned about the number of times a patient had to be moved, from the ambulance to the trolley, from the trolley to the examination couch, from the examination couch back to the trolley, and so forth.

They went to A. C. Daniels and Co. with their problem and this firm produced the Danico Trolley-Couch which is now in use at that hospital. It combines the features of an upholstered examination couch with those of a patient trolley. Two removable upholstered side guards are provided. The trolley-couch can be immobilized by foot brakes on the nine-inch diameter castors. Accessories consist of a transfusion pole, which can be positioned at either end, an oxygen cylinder cage and a general utility tray.



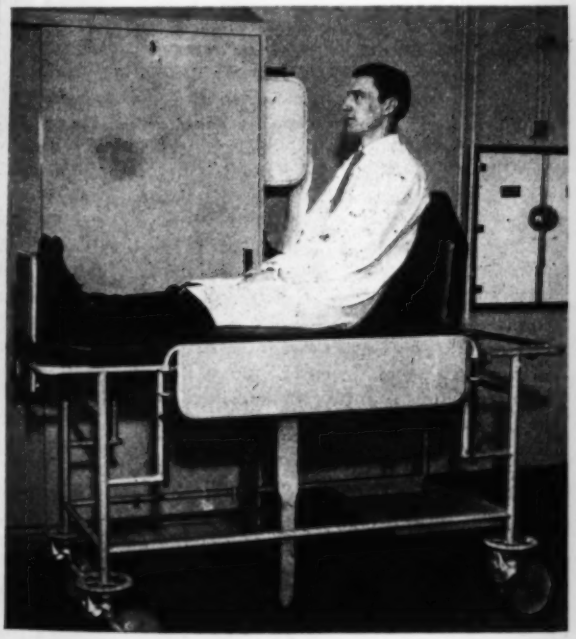
1. *The Danico trolley-couch as supplied to Queen Mary's Hospital, Roehampton.*

The second hospital was Queen Mary's, Roehampton. They needed a trolley-couch which could be tilted for resuscitation purposes. They had found that the shorter nurses could not tilt a trolley with the ordinary type of ratchet mechanism without experiencing strain.

To meet this need the Danico trolley-couch was fitted with a geared winding mechanism and handle so that it could be tilted easily.

The third hospital was Atkinson Morley's, a branch of St. George's Hospital, London. The Danico trolley-couch was already in use at St. George's, but the radiologist at Atkinson Morley's needed a shorter trolley, not more than 5 ft. 6 in. long, that could be manoeuvred round the

2. *The Atkinson Morley's trolley-couch with the headpiece in use as a vertical foot section.*



3. *The Atkinson Morley's trolley-couch in use for skull X-ray. The removable head section has been lodged in the undercarriage. Note the restraining straps, which are free to move up and down the bar.*

◀ 4. *The Daniels-Fulford casualty trolley with the armpiece in position.*

fixed equipment in his department. In addition, for use with the special skull X-ray unit, the height of the trolley had to be increased by three inches. Furthermore, to have the head completely free for skull X-rays the normal procedure was to pull the patient along the trolley until the head and neck overhung the edge, and for X-rays with the patient in the sitting position a vertical foot section was required. The main problem was how to use the shortened trolley-couch not only in the X-ray room but also for taking patients to and from the wards.

The Atkinson Morley's trolley-couch was designed with a removable head section which can be fitted into sockets to form a vertical foot section. In addition to upholstered side guards, adjustable body straps and wrist straps were provided, fitted to a bar on each side of the trolley.

An All-metal Recovery Trolley

The fourth hospital was St. Thomas's, London, where recovery trolleys were required which had to be all-metal, with anti-static mattresses. There had to be an adjustable head section and the trolley had to tilt with maximum speed.

A recovery trolley was therefore designed with an adjustable head section, tilting by means of a spring-bolt mechanism. A removable transfusion pole, two metal side guards, a fixed oxygen cylinder cage, a general utility tray, and a hinged anti-static mattress are provided.

The fifth was Fulham Hospital, London, which needed a trolley to serve not only for transporting patients but also for X-ray, treatment and resuscitation of casualties. The Daniels-Fulford casualty trolley was designed by Mr. A. C. Daniels and Dr. G. E. Fulford, of Fulham Hospital. The top, in two sections, is made of plastic material which is not opaque to X-rays. This is surrounded by a steel frame with an outer rubber bumper to prevent damage to walls. The plastic platform is raised above the steel frame so that unobstructed lateral X-rays can be taken. It is supported by distance pieces which act as shock absorbers when the trolley is wheeled over uneven surfaces. An X-ray cassette tray is provided under the plastic top and this can be positioned anywhere along the length of the trolley. A lateral cassette support for use on either side can also be positioned at any point.

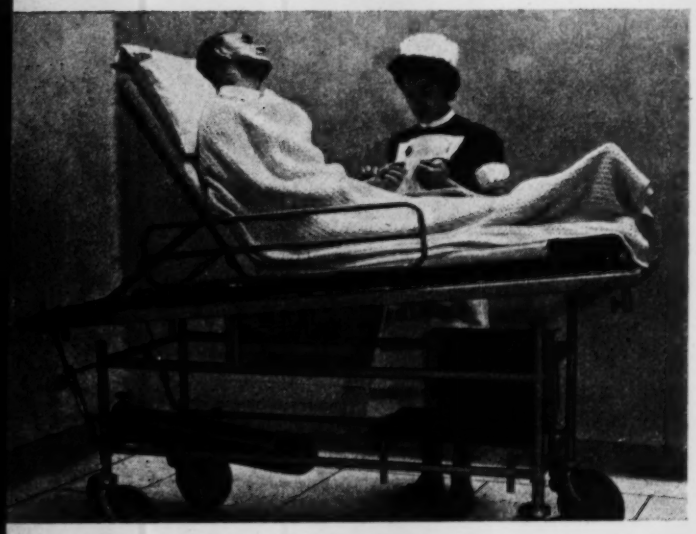
The head section is about six inches longer than on previous trolleys. This, together with the fact that it can be angled up to 90 degrees, and the use of side guards, gives comfort and support to patients with dyspnoea.

The top is pivoted at a point where the patient's weight is evenly balanced on either side, so tilting is easy. Accessories include a transfusion pole, which can be stored neatly inside one of the longitudinal bars of the trolley frame (there is a tightening screw to prevent rattling) and an arm table which can also be neatly and securely stored in the undercarriage. A general utility tray and a hinged X-ray translucent mattress can also be provided. (This Daniels-Fulford trolley is to be shown at the Hospital Equipment Exhibition at Olympia.)

Five hospitals, five trolleys, and in the future there may be further modifications to meet different hospital needs.

▲ 5. *The casualty trolley, showing how an X-ray cassette can be placed in position without disturbing the patient.*

▼ 6. *The trolley, showing how it can be used for breathless cardiac patients.*



UROLOGICAL SURGERY

Prostatic Obstruction

Reasons for Surgical Interference

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Benign enlargement of the prostate is seen in four out of 10 men over the age of 60, and half of these have symptoms. It is seldom seen in men less than 50 years of age. An enlarged gland may also be due to cancer of the prostate.

THE PROSTATE GLAND is a deep-seated structure, placed just in front of the rectum and round the neck of the bladder—the very worst place to cause trouble with drainage of the bladder (Fig. 1). Above the prostate is a ring of plain muscular tissue, the internal sphincter. This is not under the control of the will: it is usually fairly tightly contracted, so as to be water-tight.

Running through the gland are two ducts leading from the testicles and opening into the prostatic urethra.

Below the prostate is the important social muscle called the external sphincter. It is under the control of the will and relaxes during the act of passing urine, when the internal sphincter also relaxes and the bladder

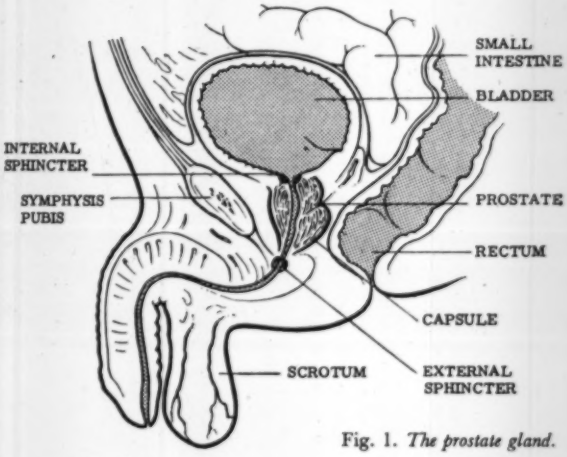

Fig. 1. *The prostate gland.*

musculature contracts, so forcing urine out through the urethra.

At the climax of the sexual act the internal sphincter is very tightly closed, so that no drop of urine can leave the bladder: the external sphincter relaxes, and jerky contractions in the ducts leading from the testicles force the semen into the prostatic urethra and so out of the penis.

Note that there is a tough capsule round the prostate.

Note also that the only part of the gland available to touch is the back, and that only by inserting a finger through the anus. Enlargement and changes in consistency can and do occur without being noticeable except as a result of some disturbance of function in other parts; greater enlargements become palpable to the examining finger as well.

Nodules

We do not know the precise function of the prostate, but its secretion is necessary for procreation.

Towards the end of the phase of active sexual life the gland may begin to show a number of nodules in its substance. These nodules grow larger, perhaps as a result of a failure of the gland to react as a whole to different requirements of phases of activity and relaxation; we do not know exactly why this should be, but we do know that they do not occur in eunuchs.

A lot depends upon where these nodules are situated and how rapidly they grow, but they tend to push the normal gland tissue out into the corners of the capsule, which is tough and only yields slowly to the pressure inside. (Fig. 2—note that the urethra passing through the gland has become elongated and bent. In a case

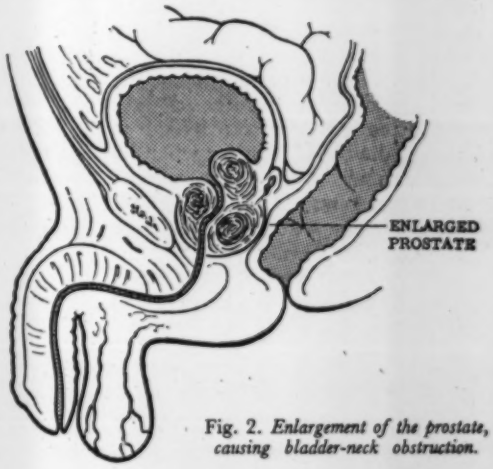

Fig. 2. *Enlargement of the prostate, causing bladder-neck obstruction.*

like this there must be some interference with the free passage of urine.)

The nodules may be shown to be simple adenomata when examined under the microscope, or they may have small foci of carcinoma among them. The whole gland may be felt to be enlarged if examined per rectum, or there may be bumps and bosses on it. The two processes, adenoma and carcinoma, may go on at the same time, and there may be some scarring or fibrosis around the internal opening of the bladder as well. Scarring or fibrosis by themselves may cause no enlargement, and the only effect may be that of obstruction at the bladder neck.

Effects of Obstruction

The effects of an obstruction of the bladder neck can be understood if we consider the analogy of the garden hose.

A good hose is fairly wide, and has a small nozzle. This means that the stream of water from it will be strong, and will be thrown a good distance. If someone treads on the hose the flow will be diminished; there will be delay before the water appears at the nozzle when the tap is turned on, and there will be dribbling after the tap is turned off.

So also with prostatic obstruction. The patient will admit that there is delay before the stream begins; the effect of the force behind the jet seems to be less, and there is more dribbling than usual when the act of micturition ceases. These are the cardinal signs of bladder-neck obstruction.

Up to a point, greater effort can still empty the bladder, but when the enlargement is as great as that shown in Fig. 2 the bend in the prostatic urethra means that if the patient strains the *effect* becomes *less* as the urethra becomes kinked on itself. Patients often notice this. The bladder wall becomes thicker and stronger in compensation, and as long as this can keep pace with the obstruction no great harm is done.

When the obstruction becomes worse, several ill-effects show themselves. The muscle fibres of the bladder stand out as thick bands on the inner wall, and the lining mucosa is pushed between them into little pockets which burrow through the wall and appear as bubbles on the outside—and diverticula are formed. As there is no muscle outside these (Fig. 3), when the bladder contracts the diverticulum enlarges as some urine is forced into it; the urine returns to the inside of the bladder cavity when the effort is over, and the man may have to pass urine in two goes. Worse, some urine remains stagnant in the diverticulum and becomes infected and foul; stones are likely to form in such stagnant pools.

And even if there is no diverticulum the muscle tires before the bladder is quite empty, and there is always some residual urine in it.

Relief of Obstruction

It is at this phase of the disease that relief of the obstruction becomes desirable if not actually urgent.

Residual urine is stagnant urine and favours stone formation and infection. It used to be measured by passing a catheter after the bladder had been 'emptied' as far as the patient was able to do this for himself. A better method is to X-ray the bladder full of opaque fluid before and after micturition, and this is done as part of the intravenous pyelogram. Passing a catheter is a somewhat risky procedure when the prostate is enlarged, and it may give a reading which is unreliable owing to interference with the sphincters.

It is the presence of residual urine which is the real danger of enlargement of the prostate, and if the nodules do not prevent complete emptying of the bladder there is no need for surgical interference.

The normal male bladder can hold a pint and a half if filled slowly, and it will empty quickly and completely. The bladder with residual urine will hold as much or more when full, but as it cannot empty it will only let a pint or so out, and so it will be necessary to micturate more often. If infection is added, the frequency will be increased as long as it persists (a 'chill' on the bladder: 'cystitis') and if stones form they

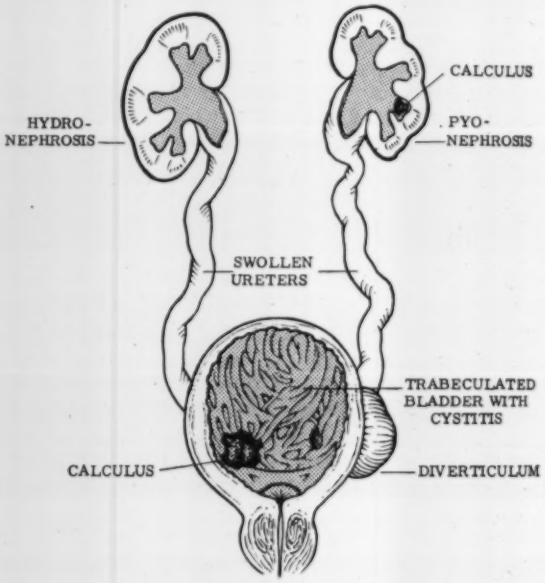

Fig. 3. *Advanced bladder-neck obstruction.*

will produce a more permanent increase of the frequency by irritating the floor of the bladder.

Since the intervals between micturition are so variable during the waking hours, being affected by all sorts of factors, from rapid filling of the bladder to 'nerves' or apprehension, it is usual to note the number of times a man is wakened from sleep to pass water. This finding is much more reliable, and gives an index of the amount of disturbance being caused: by the time a man wakes at least once every night it is time to investigate further.

When the bladder is chronically distended for long periods the ureters begin to suffer. Normally, each takes

a slanting course through the bladder wall, but this valve-like effect is lost when the ureter has to open straight into the distended organ. And the kidneys begin to suffer from back-pressure: they and the ureters become blown up—causing hydro-ureter and, later on, hydronephrosis. And again stagnation encourages infection and stone formation.

These changes can be studied by X-rays, of which the intravenous pyelogram is the most useful form, and by renal function tests. The blood urea level rises, and the patient becomes ill.

The only excuse for operation is to save the kidneys from damage. A man's kidneys have to last him a lifetime—his prostate is not necessary for his own life, only for that of his posterity.

Treatment

Treatment varies with the cause, but must relieve the bladder neck obstruction permanently.

If the nodules are carcinomatous, a course of stilboestrol may control the imbalance of hormones and may also cause enough diminution in size of the nodules to render any surgery unnecessary.

In most cases, whatever the cause, some form of operation becomes imperative. This is not the place for a discussion on the various types of operation available, but we can offer a choice of closed methods, by using transurethral instruments capable of removing the obstructive tissue, or of open operations, which demand some kind of incision through the abdominal wall and a division of the bladder neck.

Most of these inevitably destroy the efficiency of the internal sphincter, so that any future ejaculations strike inwardly into the bladder—this is not usually a grave disadvantage to an old man. Much more tragic is the occasional case where the external sphincter is damaged, and incontinence results. But even this is preferable to death from renal failure.

Inoculation Record Cards

PRINTED CARDS on which practitioners can keep records of inoculations given to their NHS patients are to be provided by the Minister of Health. It is hoped that eventually one of these inoculation record cards will form part of the medical record of every NHS patient. To begin with, however, one of the cards will be placed by the Executive Council in the medical record envelope for each new baby registered on a doctor's list. Doctors who intend to make use of the cards for other patients can obtain further supplies from the Executive Council. The card will give details of all immunizations and vaccinations given and when, also notes regarding major allergies or the administration of any serum. The record remains the property of the Minister of Health.

TALKING POINT

THE POWELLS OF THE WORLD are having it good in the press these days—Miss Powell with her committee and her report, and Mr. Powell with his statements, and his statements that he is about to make a statement. We have long known all about Miss Powell and she has long been one of our favourite matrons, but it comes as a pleasant change to have such an able and interested Minister as Mr. Powell. There is, however, an element of chilly intellect about the man which makes me fear a little what he may do when he applies himself to the problems of the nursing profession.

Let me venture to predict that if the Minister produces a Powell Plan for Nursing, it will be a plan with no nonsense about it. It will be a plan in which it will be possible to read between the lines that Mr. Powell does not really think much of the way the nursing profession has conducted its own affairs in the past. After all, what happens when he asks it for advice? Either conflicting advice is given from different bodies each claiming to represent the nursing profession, or else the advice is such as to remind the Minister forcibly of the cruel verdict on a politician of the '30s—'He sat on the fence so long that the iron entered his soul.'

The Minister is responsible to Parliament for staffing the hospitals. He can be made to feel very uncomfortable in the House when hospitals have to close beds because of lack of staff. He will not therefore feel very kindly towards a profession that sometimes seems to put pipe-dreams like student status before caring for patients.

If the health service has achieved anything, it has upgraded the general standard of hospital medical care over the country as a whole. It has made consultants available where they were never available before, and specialist treatment units have been set up in every region. As he looks at nursing, the Minister may well wonder whether the standard of nursing care is at a similar uniformly high level. He may find that standards in some places are extremely high, but in others there are great troughs and depressions. He may notice that the people in the hospitals with high standards seldom seem to feel any responsibility towards the more backward places. This particularly applies to the teaching hospitals. He may feel that the traditional autonomy of matrons has something to do with this lack of missionary zeal.

The Minister will probably have before him the findings of the other Powell committee on the shortage of nurse administrators. This may lead him to believe that there are not enough really first-rate administrators to go round, and that the second-rate should be under some kind of supervision from the first-rate. All this may lead him to suggest some kind of national nursing service, with national recruitment and a national command, nationally laid-down standards and national inspection, not only of nurse training but also of the care of patients.

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The Health Visitor

and the Family Doctor

Health visitors working with GPs find their work enriched, relationships with patients easier, and their usefulness increased. So say the RCN and the College of General Practitioners in a new pamphlet 'The Health Visitor and the Family Doctor', of which this is an abstract.

THE FUTURE of good health visiting and good general practice lies in establishing a successful working partnership between the family doctor and the health visitor. The Royal College of Nursing and the College of General Practitioners believe this, and they think that health visitors can remain local authority employees, responsible administratively to the medical officer of health, while working within the framework of family doctor practice.

The two Colleges therefore strongly advocate the attachment of health visitors to medical practitioner practices whenever possible and, failing this, the introduction of schemes for regular meetings and consultations between general practitioners and health visitors.

The Present Position

The Report of the Working Party on health visiting ('Younghusband') summarized the work of the health visitor as being primarily health education and social advice. Her main role remains the care of mothers and young children, but she has other work too. She has responsibilities in the prevention of illness, mental as well as physical, for helping in the rehabilitation of those recovering from illness, the chronic sick and infirm, the elderly and the permanently handicapped.

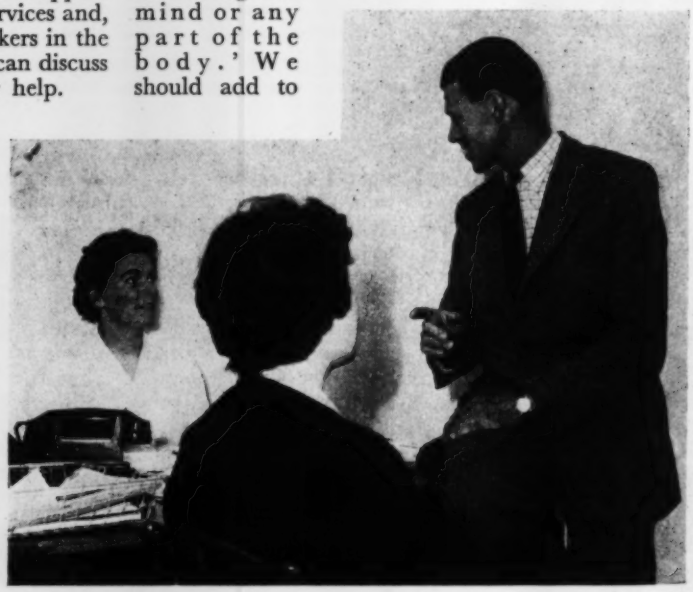
She has a wide knowledge of the social services and, being personally acquainted with other workers in the local authority health and welfare services, can discuss problems with them as well as seek their help.

However close the relationship between the general practitioner and the health visitor, need still remains for the health visitor to make her own contacts, to follow up patients, carry out routine surveillance, especially of those who for one reason or another may not be in very regular or effective contact with their general practitioner or even refuse to contact him at all—for example, the problem family, the defaulter, the school absentee, the malnourished.

A further function of the health visitor, which is capable of considerable development, is to participate in research studies organized in general practice.

The Family Doctor

There is no completely satisfactory definition of the term 'general medical practitioner'. Each doctor decides for himself the scope of the service he will give and this depends on his experience and abilities. Perhaps the best definition is 'a doctor in direct touch with patients, who accepts continuing responsibility for providing and arranging their general medical care, which includes the prevention and treatment of any illness or injury affecting the mind or any part of the body.' We should add to



At Oxford the health visitor has an office at the ▶ surgery of a group practice of three doctors.

'The Health Visitor and the Family Doctor', price 1s. post free, was drawn up by a joint working party of the RCN and the College of General Practitioners with Miss A. L. Adair, health visitor tutor, Liverpool, as chairman. It is being published in full in the May issue of the 'Journal of the College of General Practitioners.'

this definition the fact that ideally he should deal with the family rather than the individual.

This definition, if carried to its logical extremes, would place an intolerable burden on the individual doctor. The key to the definition must rest with the words 'provide and arrange'. The family doctor is coming to accept more responsibility for adequately informing himself about health and welfare services in the community and taking more initiative in trying to integrate these services on behalf of his patient. He uses the services of hospital and public health workers to aid and support him in his work. The burden of much of a family doctor's work can be eased by a health visitor in whom he has confidence, and whom he knows will consult and inform him when any special problems arise.

Medical Officer of Health

It is the medical officer of health's primary function in relation to health visitors and general practitioners to promote effective relationships. He it is who must take the initiative and introduce health visitors to general practitioners as colleagues able to complement their work.

Methods of Co-operation

1. One medical officer of health keeps all general practitioners in his county borough informed of the names, addresses and telephone numbers of all the health visitors and the times and places where they may be contacted. He circulates a news sheet to the general practitioners giving up-to-date information, changes of staff or of clinic sessions, etc.

2. In an urban area of a county authority the GPs come to the local authority clinics to discuss particular cases with health visitors. Five health visitors attend weekly meetings at the home of a GP to discuss patients about whom he, his partner, or the health visitors are concerned. Two health visitors take it in turn to attend at another doctor's surgery once a week. In this locality health visitors often visit the homes with the general practitioners.

3. In a city where excellent relationships have been built up the general practitioners get in touch with health visitors when they want a family to have special support or help. A weekly meeting takes place between one firm of general practitioners and the health visitors who meet most of their patients.

4. In another city a health visitor attends a well baby clinic which is held by a general practitioner partnership on one morning a week. She shares in the general giving of advice on nutrition and health matters and in addition gives a series of lectures to the mothers and expectant mothers.

5. In one of the London areas a health visitor attends the surgery of a local general practitioner to advise mothers attending a well baby clinic. The session is recognized as an infant welfare clinic by the local health authority. Where necessary the health visitor visits between clinic sessions and also visits elderly patients at the doctor's request.

Winchester health visitors who have been attached to family doctors' practices find great satisfaction in their work.

6. A health visitor works entirely with a group practice of six general practitioners. The health visiting records are kept at the surgery, where the health visitor has an office. Patients have realized that the doctor and the health visitor are working together and this helps in difficult cases.

7. In another part of the country a health visitor has been seconded by her local authority to work with a group practice of four doctors. She is available at the surgery for consultation with patients or with doctors. She has a case-load of children under five whom she visits as a health visitor, and she takes over all children under five whose mothers are patients of the group doctors. She has no school duties but undertakes the other functions of a health visitor.

The Administrative Problem

It is sometimes said that there are not enough health visitors to undertake existing requirements, let alone to work in close co-operation with family doctors.

While it is true to a certain extent that there appears to be a shortage of health visitors, if all health visitors

were freed from the many tasks which are inappropriate to them today, and devoted their time to the real medical-social work which is true health visiting, the shortage would not be so great.

Health visitors working in group practices find they can do the work required of them by a group practice of three doctors and carry out their health visiting duties; but to do this they must have cars.

Health visitors' areas and general practitioners' practices do not coincide, but arrangements can be made for the health visitor to take over the babies belonging to families within the general practitioners' practices.

Experience has proved that the health visitor remains a practitioner in her own right and does not become the assistant of the doctor with whom she is working. The relationship of health visitors to doctors is determined by the health visitors and the doctors themselves.

Health visitors already working with general practitioners find their work enriched, relationships with doctors' patients easier, and their usefulness increased. The general practitioner's standard of practice is raised, and the service given to the community improved.

New Look at Convalescent Homes

THE REDISTRIBUTION OF MENTALLY ILL PATIENTS envisaged for the future is likely to affect ordinary convalescent homes, especially when they are annexes of general hospitals. The problems of mixing convalescent psychiatric patients with ordinary convalescents were freely discussed at the annual King Edward's Fund conference on convalescent homes. Even if segregation was desirable, facilities were seldom available, and nursing staff generally were not trained in the understanding of psychiatric illness. Already surgical convalescents with psychiatric symptoms were sometimes received and caused disturbance to other patients. Better machinery was needed by which hospitals notify the homes on the condition of psychiatric patients before they are transferred. At present the almoner tends to be the 'buffer state', but she is rightly concerned with social needs rather than with medical assessment. Some clear thinking on this repercussion of the new Mental Health Act on convalescent homes is evidently necessary.

Book Reviews

Sea Within. *The Story of our Body Fluid.* William D. Snively, Jr., M.D. *Lippincott (no price given).*

Recently much concern has been expressed, because a leading politician did not appreciate the genetic effects of the atomic bomb at the time it was dropped. This is an extreme example of the urgent need today to give all citizens a fuller understanding of the language of scientists. In so far as this American book is designed to meet the needs of 'the great number of laymen, who are intrigued by the scientific aspects of human life' it is to be commended. The author hopes that it may also be of interest to physicians, nurses and other students as background reading for more technical treatises on the subject.

The author considers the origin, subdivisions, composition and measurement of body fluid; how a balance is maintained, and how various forms of imbalance occur and can be corrected either physiologically or artificially.

The book contains much interesting information written as a story. Many people probably enjoy their facts served up as a fancy dish: 'Traced the whole way back we are the chemical children of the sun; and the glowing orb continues to warm and nourish its earthling descendants from the white-hot homeland 90 million miles away'. Others prefer plainer British fare.

A disadvantage for the student nurse is the difference in fluid measure in America and Britain. I can, however, recommend this book for any nurses library which has a reasonably generous grant. These favoured ones are still far too few.

N. JAMIESON, M.A., S.R.N., S.T.D.

The Mentally Subnormal. *The Social Casework Approach.* Edited by Margaret Adams, B.A. *Heinemann Medical Books, 25s.*

In this book nine authors have contributed to a very comprehensive account of the care of the mentally subnormal in all its social aspects. It is concerned therefore more with what has come to be called 'community care' than with the institutional care of the mentally subnormal.

The book opens by tracing the historical background to the care of the mentally subnormal from the 19th century to the present day. The next chapter, on the clinical picture, of necessity deals briefly with the types of mental subnormality, but appears to devote a disproportionate amount of space to some at the expense of others; for example, it makes no mention of the increasing knowledge of the importance of inborn errors of metabolism in the aetiology of mental subnormality.

The chapter on social work in a hospital setting shows good insight into the problems of the clinical care of both subnormal and severely subnormal patients in that environment. However, when it suggests that it would be of considerable advantage to reserve a number of chronic beds in children's hospitals for the severely subnormal child with a severe degree of physical impairment, it becomes less realistic in that it ignores the large numbers who would be involved apart from any other equally relevant considerations.

Margaret Adams herself has contributed informative chapters on principles of case-work and social work in the community.

There are chapters also on training centres and home teaching, problems of employment and occupation, social research in mental subnormality and training for social work, all of which merit the reader's attention.

The main appeal of this book will inevitably be to workers in the field of mental subnormality outside hospital, but it could be read by all those working in hospital with a beneficial broadening of their outlook on this important medical and social problem.

W. A. HEATON-WARD, M.B., CH.B., D.P.M.

BOOKS RECEIVED

THE PSYCHOLOGICAL CARE OF THE CHILD IN HOSPITAL. Agatha H. Bowley, PH.D., F.B.PSY.S. *Livingstone, 4s. 6d.*

THE DAY HOSPITAL MOVEMENT IN GREAT BRITAIN. James Farndale, B.COM., F.H.A., M.R.S.H. *Pergamon Press, 84s.*

CONCEPTS OF MEDICINE. Brandon Lush. *Pergamon Press, 50s.*

A DOCTOR'S MEMOIRS. A. I. Willinsky. *Macmillan, 28s.*

THE CATHOLIC FAMILY HANDBOOK, *the complete book of practical guidance and inspiration on every aspect of married life.* Rev. George A. Kelly. *Hale, 21s.*

A patient in barbiturate coma being nursed in the recovery ward at Barnet General Hospital. By the bedside is the famous Barnet ventilator.

Acute and Routine Wards

BARNET GENERAL HOSPITAL

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As NURSING STAFF are fully aware, many patients entering hospital for the first time do so with a great deal of apprehension and their anxieties are often greatly enhanced by what they observe on admission to the ward. To try to promote the ideal environment for patients admitted to hospital for operative treatment, the following scheme was devised by our anaesthetists and surgeons.

Scheme for Surgical Unit

First, our surgical unit, which is situated near the theatre, was divided into four sections:

(*a*) two wards opposite each other on the ground floor for women patients, termed the acute and routine wards;

(*b*) two wards facing each other on the first floor, also known as the acute and routine wards, for men patients.

All list patients are admitted to the routine wards for rest, investigations and preparation for operation. Emergency admissions are segregated in the casualty

The ward nurse takes the patient to the theatre.

department; those requiring immediate surgical treatment are prepared for operation in that department, those needing observation or palliative treatment only, are admitted to the routine wards.

After operation all patients are nursed in the acute wards until all concentrated post-operative treatment and risk of complications are over. They are then transferred back to the routine wards.

All patients requiring terminal care remain in the side wards adjoining the acute wards.

Recovery Ward

Secondly, a recovery ward to accommodate six patients was built next to the twin theatres. This ward is proving invaluable for all patients suffering from severe post-operative shock and requiring specialized treatment. They stay there as long as is necessary. The ward is fully equipped for all modern methods of resuscitation, and has a Barnet ventilator, a small portable electronic lung which plays an important part in the administration of anaesthetics as well as post-operative recovery.

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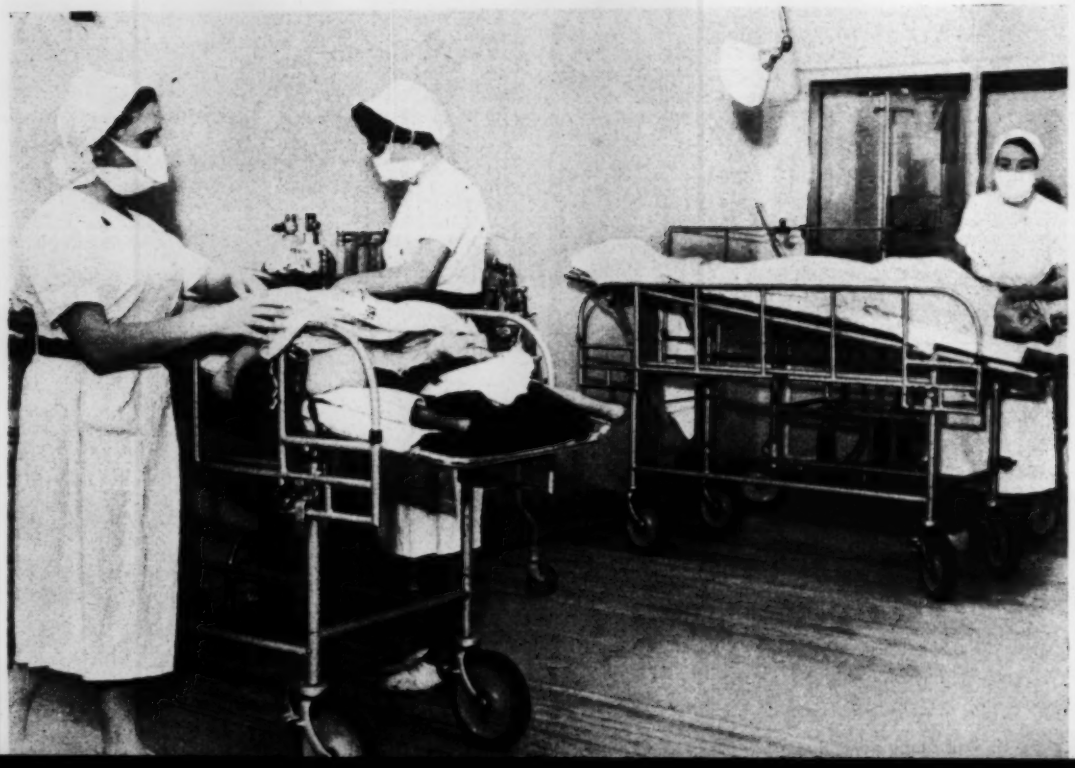

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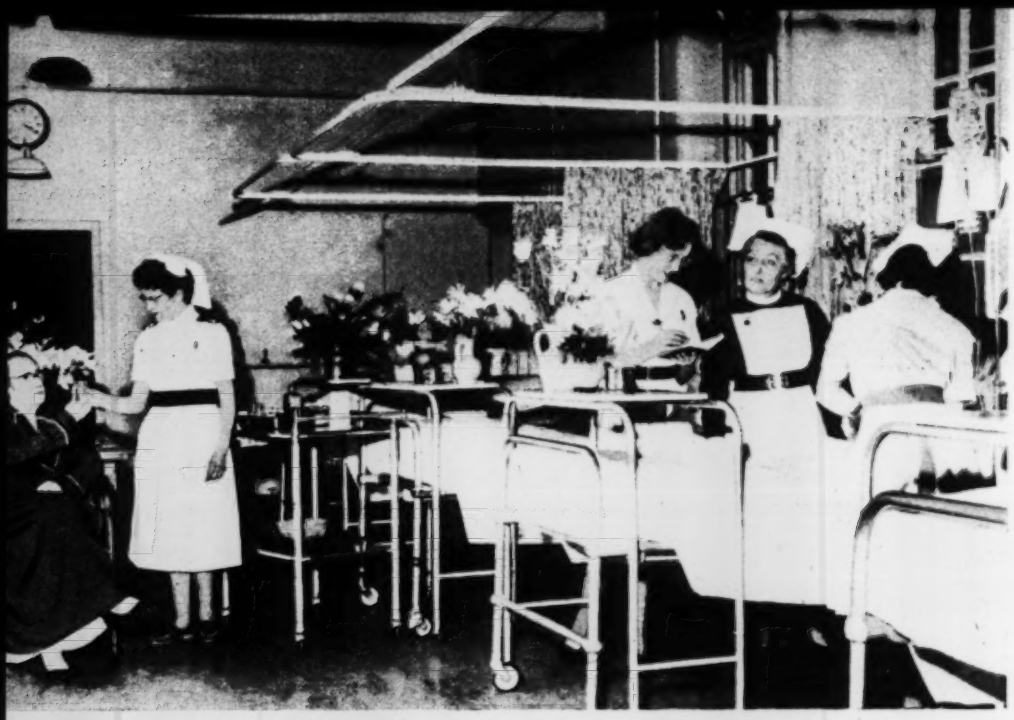
ill patients and the keeping of good records. These cases involve a lot of hard work, but it is very rewarding to know that many a young person's life has been saved because of it.

The nursing staff attached to the recovery ward are responsible for receiving the patients in the theatre and assisting the anaesthetist throughout the administration of anaesthetics and subsequent treatment. Their duties also include the routine care of the anaesthetic rooms as well as the recovery ward itself, the apparatus in which must be kept in thorough working order. All student nurses are allocated to the recovery ward in turn during their theatre training, thus gaining valuable experience in this branch of nursing.

Another most important factor in having this special unit is that the very busy staff in the acute surgical and medical wards are relieved of the extra pressure of work caused by some major post-operative and medical conditions.

Advantages of the Scheme

As in all new projects, there are many advantages and disadvantages, and these were carefully considered before we started. Some advantages have been given above, but many more may be mentioned. Perhaps the benefit to the patient is that, being admitted to the routine ward first, he is spared having to see his fellow sufferers returning from the theatre, accompanied by all the modern therapeutic equipment of today. Patients are very prone to discuss their symptoms and diseases, and can quickly become emotionally upset—another pre-operative hazard. Treatment at



One of the acute wards.

night causes a certain amount of noise in a ward, and this is inevitable where patients are recovering from anaesthetics; thus, again, the routine ward gives the quiet atmosphere so necessary for peaceful sleep.

The medical staff prefer this system as their work can be concentrated on the two acute wards and precious minutes being called from ward to ward are thus saved.

Some Disadvantages

It has been stated that the patients on the whole prefer the same nurses throughout their sojourn in hospital, and particularly like to see someone they know on recovering from anaesthetic, but in this day and age it is not always possible for this to happen, even if patients were not transferred to another ward, because of the 44-hour week, study days, days off, and daily off-duty periods. New patients make friends in a ward and may not want to move for fear of being lonely, but this difficulty has been alleviated because when they return to the routine wards they are walking and allowed to visit their friends in the acute wards.

It was felt that laundry would present a great problem as all the bedding is changed after each occupancy, but the beds are interchangeable so that when a patient is moved from one ward to another the bed is just wheeled across the corridor.

Not all the nursing staff are completely in favour of this scheme, as many like to receive their patients, nurse them through all their ill and interesting stages, and watch them recover, which is one of the satisfying joys of nursing. It is not possible to have group or case assignment with this method of nursing. From our experience of this surgical unit, we feel that it is desirable to have two routine wards to one acute, as we are often not able to move the patients from the acute wards as quickly as we would wish.

Staffing

Staffing is as follows. In an acute ward of 27 beds: two sisters, two staff nurses, six students, with three night nurses. In a routine ward of 26 beds: one sister, two staff nurses, four students, with two night nurses. The recovery ward is staffed by a sister, a staff nurse and a student nurse, and on night duty a staff nurse.

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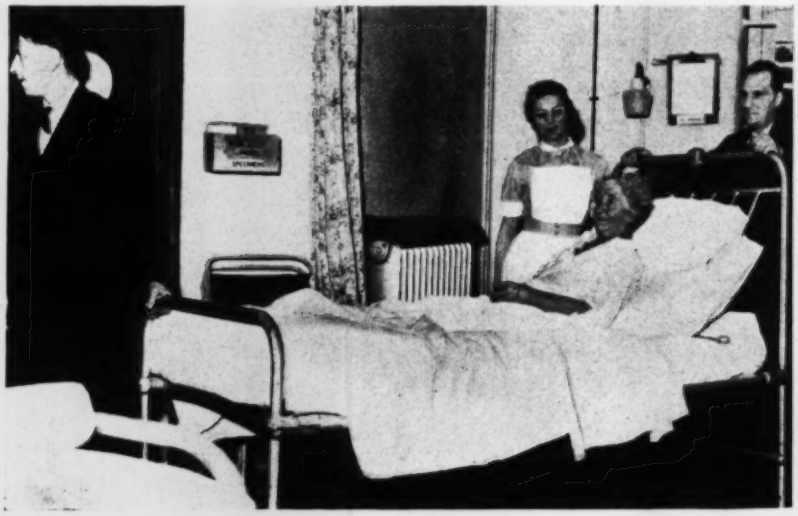

Patients who no longer need intensive care are wheeled across the corridor to the routine ward.

SECOND PRIZEWINNING CASE STUDY

Congenital Hydronephrosis

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Nursing care was responsible in no small measure for this young man's complete and uneventful recovery from a major kidney operation, as this successful and well-arranged case study demonstrates clearly.

ANDREW had been fit all his life. At the age of 11 years (he was now 19) he had pain in his left groin, which cleared up spontaneously. He had a recurrence of it about one-and-a-half years ago, but again it cleared up.

In the middle of November Andrew had a continual ache in his groin for two weeks. He was admitted to a nursing home for the police force, where the pain gradually improved. He had a chest X-ray which showed no lung lesion, but showed that the left diaphragm was slightly higher than the right. There was no evidence of urinary calculus. Andrew's temperature rose to 100°F. at night, when he perspired a great deal. He had pain with micturition and suffered slightly from frequency.

He attended this hospital as an outpatient, and had an intravenous pyelogram. This showed a good excretion on the right side and no abnormality of the right kidney. On the left side no excretion was seen, but no renal outline was seen definitely. A few tuberculous glands were seen in the right lower abdomen.

Admission of Patient

Andrew looked fit and healthy, but was obviously off-colour. He was quite nervous, but most co-operative and mixed well with the other patients. He was a pleasant, good-mannered boy with a sense of humour, and settled into the ward quickly.

Andrew had a father, mother, brother and two sisters. He was the youngest member of the family. His family were obviously fond of him and telephoned and visited frequently. His occupation, a police cadet, seemed to suit him, and he found the work most interesting. Many of his cadet friends visited him, and also senior members of the police force.

Cystoscopy and Left Ureteric Catheterization

Andrew had a routine examination on admission and had some blood taken for examination of haemoglobin, white blood count, and erythrocyte sedementation rate. This specimen was normal. On his operation day (December 9) he had a light breakfast and nothing to eat or drink for five hours before his operation. He had a routine mid-stream specimen of urine taken, which showed that there was no infection in his urine. The barber shaved him in the morning, after which he had a bath. One hour before his operation he was settled and given his pre-medication. This was a hypodermic injection of Omnopon, gr. $\frac{1}{3}$, and scopolomine, gr. $\frac{1}{150}$.

A nurse accompanied Andrew to the theatre with the operation pack, which included all his notes, X-rays and consent to operation. He was nervous about the anaesthetic, but his pre-medication had made him feel very sleepy. Andrew was given an intravenous injection which put him to sleep and then he was anaesthetized. He was in the theatre for approximately half an hour.

Cystoscopy and left ureteric catheterization were performed under general anaesthetic. The cystoscopy showed no stricture, a tight foreskin and normal left and right ureteric orifices. His bladder and urine were clean. A left ureteric catheter was passed easily and a specimen of urine was taken which showed that there was some infection further up the ureters. A left ascending retrograde pyelogram was done which showed hydronephrosis. This led to Andrew's second operation, which was performed to explore the kidney.

When he returned from the theatre he was laid on his side to prevent any possibility of obstruction of the airway. His temperature, pulse and respiration were 99.6°F., 88 per minute, 20 per minute respectively. He slept for two hours. When he woke he had his face and hands washed and had a light supper; he was then settled for the night. It was three days before his second operation (December 13).

Anderson Hynes Pyeloplasty

A mid-stream specimen of urine was taken the day before his operation, which showed that there was still no infection in the urine. Two pints of blood were cross-matched in case they might be required. He was prepared for his operation as previously. When he had been anaesthetized a sphygmomanometer cuff was put round his arm and a cannula inserted into a vein near

his right wrist before he was wheeled into the theatre.

An incision was made in line with the left 12th rib. The ureter was divided at the pelvis renal junction. A portion of the pelvis was resected and an anastomosis of ureter to the pelvis was made. A slit in the pelvis was made as a safety valve. A corrugated drain was inserted.

Post-operative Care

Andrew was in the theatre for approximately two hours. In the recovery room he had some pain, so he was given an intravenous injection of pethidine, 35 mg., and an intramuscular injection of chloramphenicol succinate, 250 mg. His intravenous infusion of Dextraven was discontinued in the recovery room. When he returned to the ward his blood pressure was 100/60 and his temperature, pulse and respiration were 98.4°F., 92 and 22 respectively. Initially he was allowed 1 oz. water hourly. Post-operative drugs were:

Intramuscular injection of chloramphenicol succinate, 250 mg., four times daily for one day.

Tablets of chloramphenicol, 250 mg., four times daily for four days (when able to eat after 24 hours).

Tablets of Furadantin, 100 mg., four times daily, starting on the second post-operative day.

During the night his dressing was repacked. He was given an injection of Phenergan, 25 mg., with pethidine, 100 mg., to settle him for the night. He slept well, but had an injection of Omnopon, gr. $\frac{1}{3}$, when he woke, to relieve his pain.

December 14. Andrew's condition was very satisfactory. He had an injection of Omnopon, gr. $\frac{1}{3}$, half an hour before his dressing was done. He was nursed sitting upright, as this was best for his breathing and his incision. His chest was clear and he was encouraged to move around the bed, as he was inclined to be apprehensive of moving and thus extremely rigid. He had cups of tea and Ovaltine during the day, but nothing solid. His temperature was raised in the evening, reaching 101.4°F. He had a large dressing with gauze, wool and pads. There was a fair amount of bloodstained serous discharge from his drain.

Recovery from Operation

Andrew continued to recover extremely well. His temperature dropped to approximately normal from the third post-operative day. He passed bright red haematuria on the second post-operative day, which proved that his left kidney was functioning again. His urine was cloudy for five days, but he had no pain with micturition. He had two glycerine suppositories on the third post-operative day as he had not had his bowels open, but there was no result until the following day.

He was on a light diet initially. On the first post-operative day he had fluids only and on the second day he had small helpings of the light diet. His appetite improved rapidly and he was eating medium helpings of the normal diet on the fourth post-operative day. The following day he ate a completely normal diet.

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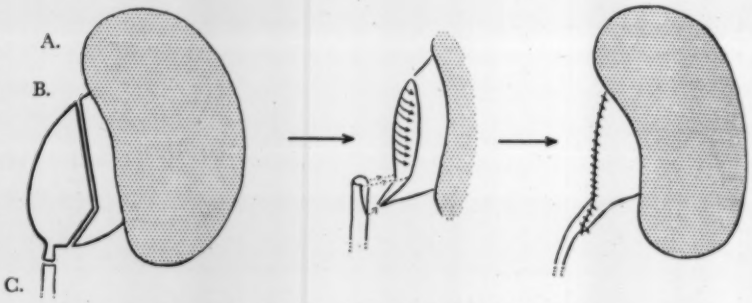

The Anderson Hynes Pyeloplasty—A. Kidney. B. Pelvis of Kidney. C. Ureter—based on an illustration in 'Urology in Outline' by T. L. Chapman (E. and S. Livingstone Ltd.).

serous discharge from his drain for about a week, and slight discharge for the following week. A small dressing of gauze and wool was sufficient after a week, but an ordinary piece of strip dressing was used a fortnight after his operation.

Andrew was got up for a short time on the day after his operation to prove to him that movement did not harm or hurt him and to help him to relax in bed. He was up for a longer time each day and was up for most of the day by the ninth post-operative day. He was bed-bathed for six days. On the seventh day he had his first bath, which raised his morale considerably.

During the whole time he was in bed his pressure areas were carefully treated with ignaform three times a day. They never became at all painful. He sat on a Sorbo rubber ring most of the time to prevent any pressure sores.

The incision and the drain site healed quickly. He had his drain shortened $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches on the fourth day after operation, a further $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches the following day, and out completely on the sixth day. He had alternate stitches out of his incision on the fifth post-operative day, and the remaining stitches out the next day.

A week after Andrew's operation a mid-stream specimen of urine was taken, which showed some infection, proving that the left kidney was functioning and that the infection was draining. He had an X-ray taken of his chest and abdomen, which showed no abnormality.

December 28. Andrew was discharged 15 days after his operation, in extremely good health. He was given tablets of Furadantin, 100 mg., to take four times daily for one month in order to clear up any remaining infection and to prevent further infection. He had a small strip dressing over his drain site which was not discharging. The incision had healed perfectly. He did

not go back to work until after his follow-up clinic four weeks later.

Follow-up Clinic

January 18. Andrew returned to the hospital as an outpatient for an intravenous pyelogram, three weeks after his discharge. The result of this showed good concentration of the kidney; there was still considerable calyceal hydronephrosis but this was much reduced.

January 25. A week later, at the follow-up clinic, it was stated that there was a return of function of the left kidney and there was considerably less dilatation of the calyces. There was a good result from his pyeloplasty and the incision had healed well.

Oral Vaccine for Polio

THE AMERICAN SABIN oral poliomyelitis vaccine may be used in Britain if there is an epidemic. The Minister of Health announced last week that an emergency stock of this vaccine is to be held in Britain. It is claimed that the vaccine provides permanent protection after only one dose; clinical trials have been carried out by the Medical Research Council to test this claim, but the results have not yet been made public. The Minister was careful not to commit himself to the use of the vaccine.

A statement from the Ministry warned that a number of important medical and technical aspects of the vaccine were still being studied.

Local Government Health News

City of Manchester

New Maternity and Child Welfare Clinic Manchester Corporation is to build a new maternity and child welfare clinic in Monsall Road, Harpurhey. The premises will include a doctor's room, weighing room, demonstration room, demonstration kitchen, midwives examination and testing rooms and health visitors working and consultation rooms. There will also be office accommodation, waiting rooms and a pram store.

A dental clinic is also to be provided on the same premises which will be available for use by pre-school and school children, expectant and nursing mothers.

The cost of providing and equipping these premises will amount to some £34,000 and annual costs are expected to be over £5,000.

Preston Corporation

Radio-telephones for Ambulances Preston Corporation is to install radio-telephones in the city's ambulances. Cost of installation will amount to £1,175 and maintenance to £180 a year.

Westmorland County Council

The Home Nursing Service Dr. J. A. Guy, Westmorland county medical officer, comments in his latest annual report on the extent to which the home nursing service relieves pressure on hospital beds. He feels that it is difficult to estimate this, so far as acute cases are concerned. Although, through the home nursing service, some acute cases are discharged from hospital earlier than they would otherwise have been, this is counterbalanced by the fact that both patients and general practitioners have become more 'hospital-minded'.

In the case of the chronic sick the position is more certain. But for the services of the home nurse, many bedridden patients would have to be admitted to hospital at a much earlier stage of their illness. At present admission can be delayed until they need more or less continuous nursing care both day and night. In Westmorland the employment of nursing orderlies, working under the direction of qualified nurses, has contributed considerably to the care of the chronic sick.

Like other local government medical officers, Dr. Guy is concerned at the increase in pulmonary cancer. 'There is a steady increase in this figure and once again the number of cases found fit for surgery is very small indeed . . . the disease remains much commoner in men and the survival rate after diagnosis remains poor.'

Stockton-on-Tees Borough Council

Interviewing Rooms for PH Department Lack of privacy seems to be one of the curses of modern civilization. Local authorities are sometimes among the worst offenders—nobody likes discussing their personal or domestic problems in the public waiting room of a council health department in front of the flapping ears of the junior clerical staff.

The medical officer of health for Stockton-on-Tees intends to end this situation. He has suggested that when the forthcoming extensions to Stockton Health Department are carried out, cubicles should be provided rather than a waiting room so that members of the public can be interviewed in greater privacy than at present. The Council has instructed their borough engineer to put this suggestion into effect.

Middlesex County Council

Smoking and Lung Cancer Middlesex County Council has prepared a special leaflet on smoking for distribution to schoolchildren nine years old and over.

One year's supply—200,000 copies—has so far been produced at a cost of £1,000; a pathetically small sum with which to combat the incessant press and TV propaganda of the cigarette manufacturers!

Letters to the Editor

THE TRAINING OF PUPIL NURSES

MADAM.—Miss Dawson's report on the training of pupil enrolled nurses (*Nursing Times*, April 14 and 21) has pleased me considerably. It is good to know that someone of her standing should have chosen this particular theme for her studies. May the report help to remove some of the quite unjustified prejudices about enrolled nurses from the minds of our professional colleagues.

I recently left a senior appointment in a London teaching hospital in order to take up one in a hospital which has a training school for enrolment. This I did because I can see an ever-growing need for the well-trained State-enrolled nurse and because I want to help with her training and with any effort which will give her—within her well-defined sphere—the recognition she undoubtedly deserves.

In the past few months I have already seen much that has impressed me. Devotion to patients and to duty, gentleness, patience and professional bearing, all beyond reproach.

The State-enrolled nurse can make a tremendous contribution to the future of the nursing services in this country, provided we see to it that she is well trained and wishes to remain in the SEN grade after training. We need the SEN desperately. Let us accept her more graciously and welcome her as the much needed colleague she is. I have no doubt that the gain will be ours.

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Sussex.

FLATS FOR NURSES

MADAM.—I read your leading article of April 21 with much interest. As a very interested party I have always felt that the availability of independent flats would do much to overcome staff shortages, and would help enormously in the care of elderly relatives. As you suggest, such flats should also be available for resident medical staff and for domestic staff.

When vast office blocks are going up all over central London and residential accommodation is mostly being knocked down, it is difficult to imagine who is going to provide essential services in our future hospitals in this area. When suitable accommodation is available, whole families and successive generations can help to man the hospital services. These families are usually extremely valuable members of the community.

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HUMAN RELATIONS IN OBSTETRICS

MADAM.—In the recent pamphlet of the Central Health Services Council 'Human Relations in Obstetrics', the problem of loneliness of mothers during labour is discussed. A suggestion is made in Section B (d) that 'student nurses might sit with the mother'. In fairness to the Council, this suggestion is looked upon as 'being of doubtful value to the mother'. What staggers me is that this suggestion should have been given sufficiently serious consideration to get into print at all. Of what possible support could a student nurse be to a worried, anxious mother, even in the earliest stages of labour, and anxiety is often greatest in that stage, since later on the process of labour becomes more constructive. If ever there was a flagrant example of considering the use of student nurses as 'pairs of hands'—this is it!

The student nurse who has an opportunity of experiencing obstetric nursing should surely spend her three months studying every aspect of that branch. Imagine the lot of a student nurse in a large obstetric department when there is nearly *always* a patient in the first stage of labour. What a doleful prospect—the experience would be enough to put her off midwifery, let alone motherhood, for good.

The Central Midwives Board reiterate that it is not because of shortage of pupil midwives that obstetric experience for student nurses was agreed to with the General Nursing Council. This is also confirmed by matrons of midwifery training schools who state that applications far exceed vacancies. Since the trained midwife is too busy to be with her patient throughout, and it would appear to be a misuse of her skills for her to be so engaged, could the midwifery schools not accept more pupil midwives?

In midwifery units other than training schools, the problem is different, but nursing auxiliaries who are usually older women, frequently married, with children of their own, could and do make a very useful contribution. Surely *any woman* who has borne a child is better able to give the mother in labour the needed support than the so-aptly described 'teenage student nurse'?

E. C. HINDLEY,
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SHORTAGE OF HOSPITAL STAFF

MADAM.—Thank you for reprinting the letter from *The Lancet* (March 18) in the *Nursing Times* (April 21).

I refer to the letter by 'Two Registrars' on Hospital Staff Shortages, which although formally describing conditions in mental hospitals, was also said to be the basic problem in non-teaching general hospitals.

This in my opinion is an accurate statement of affairs as they exist—we are all to a large extent dependent on the number of student nurses.

Where does the problem lie? Can it be true that the two correspondents are right? Are we asking for too much by placing the few available students in impossible situations and so making conditions of service discouraging?

What is the next step? Can we be sufficiently realistic to accede that this may be a reason why we do not get and keep the 'bright girls'?

It is my opinion that we cannot afford NOT to accept this as a possible cause and seek a long-term solution. It is useless to reiterate that the young people of today will not accept their responsibility and want more pay and shorter hours. In spite of the increased training allowances and lack of selection in the mental field, they still do not attract student population.

It is extraordinary, in my view, that we have not been under fire as the midwives for minimum amount of nursing care given—but it will come,

and the adverse publicity thus given will deter the stout-hearted few who do come forward. We who set the standards for nursing care must produce the solution or others will do it for us.

ADMINISTRATOR,
Non-Teaching Hospital.

Mddx.

MEASURING SUCCESS?

MADAM.—Talking Point of April 14 began with the following words: 'Looking through nursing journals of the world . . .' I would like to introduce the subject matter of this letter using somewhat similar wording, if I may.

One is constantly meeting articles and phrases in nursing journals which arouse the imagination and give food for thought.

On looking through some recent issues from the nursing press, I casually caught a glimpse of the wording of an advertisement for student nurse training. The advertisement described the particular training school in question as being 'one of the largest and most successful in the country.'

Food for thought, indeed. To ascertain the size of any training school is an easy matter, calling only for the ability to do simple arithmetic. The man in the street thinks of public schools and their successes in terms of past pupils who have later become notable scholars, soldiers or statesmen. But how do we judge the success of any particular training school for nurses: in terms of the number of patients treated and returned to a full working life over a given period; in terms of professional progress made by past students; in terms of improved citizenship with a developed sense of responsibility to society as a whole; or merely by the number of candidates we manage to push through examinations?

I consider it to be difficult to measure success on a short-term basis, for what appears to be the disaster of today may well prove to be the victory of tomorrow, and vice versa.

I have no ambitions to set up in opposition to Wrangler as a thought-provoker, as I recognize both her capabilities and my own limitations, yet as a nurse tutor I would be interested to hear other people's views on —'By what standards do we measure success in our schools of nursing?'

M.D.

Northern Ireland.

'A PRACTICAL NURSING COMPETITION FOR MEN'

MADAM.—The writer of the report 'A Practical Nursing Competition for Men' (*Nursing Times*, April 7) seems to have made the age-old blunder of generalization about people.

He states that 'some teams seem to have had little encouragement from their hospitals and none of the intensive coaching often received by the Gullan and Pavey finalists.'

As a tutor who has entered teams both from this and another hospital for the Pavey Award, I take exception to this remark going on record. Naturally I cannot speak for others, but teams entered for these contests should represent standards prevailing generally in their parent hospital, and if so 'intensive coaching' has no place in the preparation for the final contests. Often the students invited to represent their hospital have never worked with each other previously, and further I cannot visualize any self-respecting tutor who truly considers himself an educationalist using such methods in these contests, the prime aim of which is improved patient care resulting from improved nursing education.

May I be impertinent and ask whether the writer has really put his finger on the cause?

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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN

MADAM.—In order to attract more men of good education and personality to the nursing profession may I plead for dropping the name male nurse altogether and substituting gentleman nurse instead? At a time when, for instance, charwomen take umbrage unless addressed as charladies and rat catchers like to call themselves rodent-exterminators and so on, it is not surprising that men in the nursing profession are not happy about the present designation which makes them feel inferior to lady nurses.

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HOSPITAL SHOP

Whiston Hospital, Prescot

The Hospital Shop at Whiston Hospital, Prescot, is run by the Huyton-with-Roby WVS. It is not simply a room set aside for the purpose, but a real shop, within the hospital grounds. In addition the WVS run a trolley-shop for the wards and a canteen for outpatients. Average takings are £80-£90 a week. In the week before Christmas takings were £214. This turnover enables the WVS to make many contributions to the amenity funds of the hospital, and to provide such things as patients' television, and curtains for the nurses recreation hall.

ICN CONGRESS

Points from the Melbourne Addresses

Mlle Clamageran, new president of the ICN.

NURSING EDUCATION

SPEAKING at the Education Section, Miss Ellen Broe, director, ICN Education Division, said that today the standard of education was higher, both general and professional. This made possible better selection, a more widely based nursing education, with improved methods of teaching. A development in technical skills was to be noted, and its importance must not be underestimated because treatments and the results of treatments might depend on these skills.

A Family Worker

The nurse of the future must be prepared to be more and more a family worker, moving freely between hospital and home; she would have to be familiar with work in day hospitals, outpatient centres, clinics and rehabilitation units. She might perhaps have responsibility for the health of a group of families, and it was essential that the nurse should learn to work with people and co-operate with a variety of colleagues.

Discussing the need for research, Miss Broe said 'Internationally, the important thing is to discover all the profound things people have in common rather than the superficial things in which they differ . . . What do people entrusted to the care of nurses expect from them? What, in their opinion, can nurses help them with in a better way than other members of the health team? On this basis we could in a realistic way study the functions of nurses and thus plan for the future of nursing education.'

NURSING SERVICE

WITH MRS. B. A. BENNETT (UK) in the chair, 'Administration for Nursing Service' was discussed by Miss Audrey Orbell, deputy director, division of nursing of the New Zealand Department of Health. She reminded members that incredible as it might seem today, '30 years ago our professional tools consisted of little more than a few medications, some forceps, a washbasin and a bedpan.' Inevitably, in those days, nursing skill was concentrated upon attending to the patient's basic needs, making him comfortable and allaying his fears.

Since then such changes had taken place that problems were now more concerned with 'the stress and tension of living' than with the bacteriological diseases of the past.

This changed situation meant a change of thinking. Many young girls entering the profession thought only of service to the sick in hospital. But 'the nursing profession is a maturing one', ready to make an honest appraisal of the present practice of nursing, including the wider call for its services out in the community itself.

The Team in Reality

Miss Gladys Peake, chief of nursing section, National Health Service, Chile, spoke of the increasing pressure on the health services everywhere. The growing recognition by the people of their right to health brought with it increasing demands for medical and nursing care, sometimes to the point of embarrassment. 'When the shortage of nurses is acute it may become a real menace to the profession.' Exploring various means of conserving and using trained nursing skill to its best advantage, Miss Peake spoke of team nursing: 'Unfortunately, the nursing team whose concept we accept as the answer to well integrated nursing practice, is far from being successfully applied . . . Maybe our mistake lies in considering this as just another method of work, a technique which we must learn to apply, when . . . it is in reality an attitude, a state of mind . . . We attain this attitude through a conviction of the importance of every activity that is performed for the patient . . . no matter how simple, or who carries it out; together with the belief that higher preparation involves a deeper understanding of people and a greater responsibility for service. Only then will we become the leaders of a team that works harmoniously for the patient and with the patient . . .'

Dangers of Fragmentation

A warning on the danger to the profession of fragmentation due to specialization was given by Miss Frances Beck, director, ICN Nursing Service Division. But, she said, 'We *must* recognize the interests of the specialist; we *must* welcome and encourage this interest; we *must* give it opportunity to grow in depth, we *must* allow growth in nursing practice in relation to specialties . . . but we must *not* endanger the profession as a whole and allow ourselves to lose effective unity by fragmentation.'

There was, too, the danger of nurses working in isolation, or in administration, adding to fragmentation within the profession, and Miss Beck spoke of 'the urgent responsibility of contributing to and supporting the nursing press.' This was a potent means of pooling knowledge and passing on good ideas and the fruit of experience. It was the responsibility of professional nursing organizations to take note of and perhaps share in researches and studies carried out nationally at a higher level, and to make the results widely known as a guide for future research which might be undertaken.

PLENARY SESSION

'Wisdom and Guidance through Professional Organization'

MISS ALICE GIRARD, M.A., B.SC., R.N., past president, Canadian Nurses' Association, of the Hospital St. Luc, Montreal, spoke on the main theme of the Congress—'Wisdom and Guidance through Professional Organization'.

An important responsibility of any professional nursing association, she said, was to seek to understand the needs of the people, to seek counsel of leaders in different spheres, and to encourage its own members in wider activities in the community. 'Nurses, in general, have been much too silent about their professional endeavours and seem to have only recently learned to share their problems with and to take counsel of other lay or professional groups. By this aloofness the nursing profession can deprive itself of the vital interest and support of the people it is striving to serve. How conscious have we been of our role in the enlightenment of legislators and civic officials about the repercussions of social changes on the nursing profession? Have we been content to think this duty was being taken care of on the national level? . . . The answers are amply evident to us every day, politically as well as economically.'

'If the final and deepest obligation of the nursing profession is to the patients entrusted to its care, it can only fulfill this obligation in the measure in which it recognizes its responsibility to the community'—and to its own members, who must 'exercise individually and by association the eternal vigilance that is the price of liberty.'

Sterilization—Modern Methods

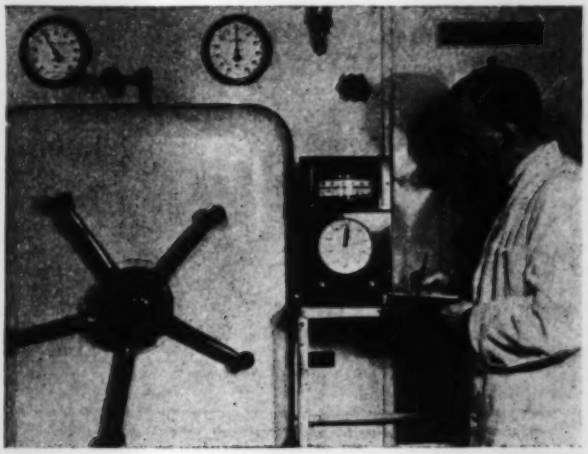
CENTRAL STERILE SUPPLY
CONTROL OF AUTOCLAVES
RADIATION STERILIZATION
COMMERCIAL SYRINGE SERVICES

At the symposium on sterilization organized by the Pharmaceutical Society and Smith and Nephew Research Ltd. in London on April 11-13 there was no public discussion of the question of who should be responsible for the central sterile supply department, but in conversations with some of the 300 or so pharmacists who attended it became apparent that many of them expect to be vested with this responsibility.

Responsibility for CSSD

The paper on 'Central Sterile Supply in Cambridge Hospitals' was given by Mr. S. J. Hopkins, chief pharmacist to Addenbrooke's Hospital, and he explained how they had solved the problem of responsibility. 'The sterilization of dressings for all wards and theatres had long been the responsibility of the pharmacist, and was indeed carried out in the pharmaceutical department. When a syringe service was instituted, this too was part of the work of the pharmacy. . . . When the CSSD was instituted, a supervisor with nursing qualifications and experience was appointed in charge of the day-to-day output, while the pharmacist retained his overall responsibility for the department and the bacteriologist his authority to check the efficiency of the processes and the sterility of the finished products.'

Several papers were devoted to radiation sterilization and to sterilization by ethylene oxide gas. Radiation sterilization is already extensively used to sterilize surgical materials on an industrial scale, but is unlikely to be used within hospitals. Cobalt-60 radiotherapy units would be extremely difficult to use as sources of radioactivity for sterilization purposes. Ethylene oxide is a bactericidal gas which has been widely used in the United States and in Europe to sterilize foods, including frozen foods, and certain medical and pharmaceutical products which cannot be subjected to heat.



The West time-temperature integrator controlling the sterilizing period from within the load on a high pre-vacuum sterilizer at Edinburgh Royal Infirmary.

Unsatisfactory Sterilizers

Dr. J. H. Bowie described an instrument, the West sterilizer integrator, which has been designed to monitor continuously the temperature inside an autoclave load and to increase or decrease the total sterilizing period according to the load temperature. He warned that at present many hospital high-vacuum sterilizers were not in satisfactory working order. Out of seven 10-12 cu. ft. high pre-vacuum sterilizers which had been examined, not one was capable of ensuring sterilization, although all produced satisfactory time-temperature records when the steam temperature in the drain was measured.

Describing the central sterile supply system that had been established in Wessex, Dr. E. M. Darmady gave figures for the cost per bed of providing from scratch sufficient instruments for the introduction of CSS. These were:

	£	s.	d.
Gynaecology ..	8	16	10
Surgery ..	5	3	1
Medicine ..	2	19	0
Geriatrics ..	1	8	10

Dr. M. Harris, of Hospital Instruments Ltd., suggested that hospitals should consider whether, instead of setting up central syringe services of their own, it might be more economic to obtain their supplies of sterile hypodermic equipment from an industrial sterile syringe service. In this way hospitals could obtain their syringes and needles at prices which would compare favourably with domestic supplies but without heavy capital investment, and personnel problems.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Miss H. J. de Pinto, matron of Princess Alice Memorial Hospital, Eastbourne, is to marry the Rev. E. G. Wells in September. Mr. Wells first met Miss de Pinto when she was at Pembury Hospital, Tunbridge Wells, where he was chaplain.

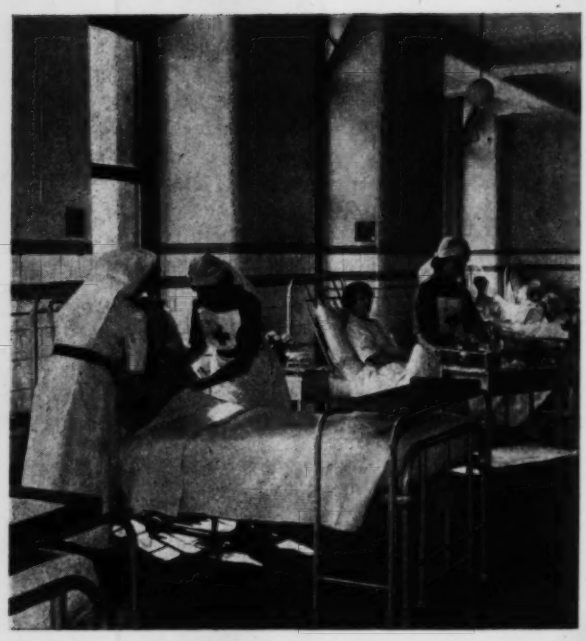
Miss D. G. Head retired recently after being superintendent of district nurses and midwives in Southend for 12 years. She was presented with a radio set and articles of kitchen-ware to mark the occasion.

Electron Microscope.—The Institute of Neurology, National Hospital, Queen Square, was recently presented with an electron microscope for research into muscular dystrophy.

Hereford County Hospital.—The Bishop of Hereford has dedicated the new east window in the chapel. The Rev. G. W. Rayer started the fund for a stained glass window when he was hospital chaplain, and the HMC made a grant from free moneys.

Hospital's First Patient.—The new maternity hospital at Banbury, Oxon., has come into use with the admission of its first patient. Patients from other maternity homes in the area have since been transferred.

The 23rd annual HV refresher course, held in Manchester in March, was attended by over 200 health visitors. Lectures covered maternal and infant mortality, burns and scalds. Manchester's health visitors staged an exhibition on the prevention of maternal and infant mortality, and there was also an exhibition of work done by mothers at the child welfare centres.



Help in the wards at Glasgow Royal Infirmary.

Red Cross to the Rescue

After the spring 'flu epidemic had subsided, we asked the British Red Cross Society to what extent its members had helped the hospitals to tide over the crisis caused by sickness among nursing staff. Immediately, from London Red Cross headquarters, a short circular went out to their branches up and down the country asking for news on this subject. The letter went off on Friday; by Monday replies had begun to come in; by Wednesday the response had become a splendid one. Here surely is an example of good communication in a live organization, enabling those who lead to have their fingers on the pulse . . .

May 8 *is celebrated by the Red Cross each year as the birthday of Henri Dunant, its founder.*

GOOD COMMUNICATION means something more important than just speedy exchange of information—it can mean quick action in a crisis. Everyone knows that help given immediately is likely to be more valuable than help delayed while committees have sat to authorize it, while red tape is unwound and elaborate procedures devised for applying it.

That is why it is heartening to learn that within an hour of an SOS for assistance with nursing duties from the matron of a peripheral London hospital, six VAD members had volunteered for duty; that in a country town hospital where 'the staff position had become desperate' there was an immediate response from VADs and a trained nurse member 'enabling the wards to be kept going'; that in the West Country, where a hospital had 75 per cent. of the staff sick (including six ward sisters), in a very short time a rota of Red Cross members was organized (among them three SRNs) to help the hospital in its emergency. Incidentally, the circumstances happened to reproduce exactly a test set just previously in a county bedmaking and bedside care competition; also as a result of the actual experience, that particular Red Cross branch has decided to form an emergency staff rota ready to cover any hospital in the area in the event of a future emergency.

Above: *a member of the NHSR with a ward sister at a small general hospital.*

Below: *a member takes the telephone trolley round the ward.*

In Wales, a Red Cross Detachment provided a rota to help the small local hospital during the epidemic, and on the Welsh border VADs and retired SRNs came forward to help a group matron with depleted staffs. Incidentally, they provided continuous specialling for a seriously ill tracheostomy patient suffering from bronchial spasm and double pneumonia.

When 25 per cent. of the staff went down with 'flu in a Midland hospital, shifts were arranged for four Red Cross members at a time to cover the hours 9 a.m.—

8 p.m. This included Sundays when, in this rural area, there were no buses until afternoon, so the Red Cross laid on transport to get its members to the hospital. At a few hours' notice 10 VADs were on duty in response to a call from a local geriatric hospital—in spite of the fact that few were on the telephone. They worked in pairs throughout the weekend, with three additional members putting in time as and when they could.

From an isolated Yorkshire hospital came a call for help in the pneumonia wards where most of the staff were off sick, and again 10 VADs had reported for duty within a few hours; some of them are still working there at weekends, when there is always a staff shortage.

Practical Help

Apart from assistance with nursing the patients, practical help is often forthcoming from the Red Cross to relieve trained staff of non-nursing duties. . . .

For instance, a ward sister in a busy Midlands hospital (which was struck by the influenza epidemic just before Christmas) could spare no time to put up the decorations. Red Cross senior cadets were appealed to, and one of these was in bed when telephoned at 8 a.m.

By 8.15 he was catching the bus to the hospital! Here he became one of a team of senior cadets supplied in pairs to help with the decorations and any odd jobs to help sister with the Christmas preparations. So enthusiastic did they become that they organized an entertainment party to visit the wards on Boxing Day.

Adopted by a Detachment

At one northern hospital men VADs call regularly twice weekly to bath two patients with disseminated sclerosis. Before a special bath-seat was provided (by the Red Cross), the two visitors would roll up their trouser legs and get into the bath so as to handle one completely helpless patient more easily. This particular patient has been adopted by the Red Cross Detachment concerned and is often taken in a wheelchair to their social evenings and on annual outings when they lift him in and out of the bus. At another hospital in the area a chronic sick man is taken out regularly each Saturday by Detachment members, and the nursing staff have him dressed ready in his chair, knowing that they can rely on someone to call for him.

Hospitals in a big Midland city and in a country town near it not only received much-appreciated nursing assistance during the influenza crisis, but the Commandant herself volunteered to cook the Sunday dinner at the latter hospital where the domestic staff was also depleted.

WHITLEY COUNCIL

FULL COUNCIL

A MEETING of the full General Council was held on April 24. Among the items discussed were the following.

Disciplinary Procedure. The Management Side said that the Ministry were preparing a revised code of disciplinary procedure and that until the Ministry views on the matter were known they could not comment on the Staff Side's memorandum embodying suggestions for improvements.

Mileage Allowances. The Staff Side said that they had given preliminary consideration to Management Side proposals for a revision of mileage allowances on the lines of those adopted for the Civil Service, but as they were still awaiting views of certain of the Staff Side interests they were not yet in a position to give a definite reply. Even so they indicated that their first impression of the proposals was that they were not very satisfactory.

STAFF SIDE

A Staff Side meeting preceded the full Council meeting.

Matters discussed other than those dealt with at the joint meeting included the following.

Employees of Outside Contractors. The Staff Side received a report of a deputation to the Deputy Secretary of the Ministry of Health and other senior officials about the possible effect on employment and conditions of service of hospital staff of employees of outside contractors working permanently in hospitals and providing for day-to-day needs, such as domestic and catering services. In view of the importance of the matter it was agreed that all Staff Side organizations be requested not only, in any particular instance, promptly to take such action as might be appropriate in the interests of any members who might be affected but also to keep the Staff Side Secretary informed of all developments.

Terminal Payments on Redundancy—Whole-time Non-Ancillary Staff. The Ministry having indicated that they were proposing to introduce for non-ancillary staff a scheme for terminal payments on redundancy substantially on the same lines as for ancillary staff, it was decided to press very strongly the following views.

(*a*) That redundancy should be regarded as a problem concerning the National Health Service and not a matter to be dealt with by individual employing authorities.

(*b*) If staff who are redundant for any reason cannot be found suitable alternative employment within their own individual employing authority, regional hospital boards should be made responsible for placing redundant officers in alternative employment. In cases where alternative employment would be available to redundant officers in another regional board area, the Ministry of Health should assume the responsibility for placing the redundant officers in such employment.

(*c*) In the event that the alternative employment is in a post carrying a salary lower than that being received by the officer at the date when he is redundant, it should be insisted that the officer retain his previous salary scale and receive all general increases applying to that scale.

(*d*) Where redundant officers cannot immediately be found alternative employment, the compensation for loss of office which should be paid should be no less favourable than that which would have applied had the Compensation Regulations of 1948 been in force.

COMING EVENTS

Banstead Hospital, Sutton, Surrey.—Annual prizegiving, Wednesday, May 10, 2.45 p.m. Presentation by Miss O. F. Griffith, mental nursing officer, Ministry of Health. R.S.V.P. to matron.

Cheltenham Maternity Hospital.—First annual reunion and prizegiving, Wednesday, May 24, 3 p.m. Prizes to be presented by Miss A. Wood, general secretary, Royal College of Midwives. All past nursing staff and pupil midwives welcome. R.S.V.P. to matron.

Crumpsall Hospital, Manchester 8.—Annual nurses' reunion, Saturday, May 27, 2.30 p.m., starting with a church service. Past and present members of staff cordially invited. R.S.V.P. to matron.

King's College Hospital Nurses' League.—Annual reunion, Saturday, May 27, from 11 a.m. Buffet lunch, 12.30 p.m. (small charge). Chapel service 2 p.m. AGM in Medical School Refectory, 2.45 p.m. Bring-and-buy sale (gifts may be sent in advance to matron). Members intending to come to lunch, kindly notify matron not later than Saturday, May 20.

Moorhaven Hospital.—Miss B. N. Fawkes, education officer, GNC for England and Wales, will present the prizes on Wednesday, May 24, at 3.15 p.m.

Royal East Sussex Hospital, Hastings.—Annual reunion, Saturday, May 27, 2.45 p.m. Lunch, 12.45 p.m. R.S.V.P. to matron.

Royal Masonic Hospital.—The Countess Cadogan will present prizes on Thursday, May 18, at 3 p.m.

Royal Sussex County Hospital.—A memorial service will be held in the hospital chapel for the late Miss Emily Young, matron of the Royal Sussex County Hospital, Brighton, 1927-42, on Thursday, May 18, at 3 p.m.

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch, Essex.—Nurses annual prizegiving in the nurses home, Thursday, June 1, 3 p.m. All past members of the staff welcome. R.S.V.P. to matron.

Southlands Hospital League of Nurses.—Annual reunion, Saturday, May 27. Further particulars from matron.

Springfield Hospital, S.W.17.—Mr. Hughes-Young, M.P., will present prizes on Friday, May 19, at 3 p.m.

Victoria Hospital, Worksop.—Prizegiving and reunion, Friday, May 26, 3 p.m. Former staff welcomed.

Workington Infirmary.—Annual prizegiving, staff dining-room, Wednesday, May 24, 6 p.m. Presentation by Miss C. E. Bentley, general secretary, NASEAN. R.S.V.P. to matron by May 13.

Worthing Hospital.—Annual prizegiving, Saturday, May 27, 3 p.m., in the School of Nursing. Past members of staff welcome. R.S.V.P. to matron.

Birkenhead General Hospital New Nurses' League

Past students are cordially invited to attend an inaugural meeting and reunion tea in the Outpatient Department on Saturday, May 6, at 2.45 p.m.

In Parliament

PROBLEMS OF THE HOSPITAL SERVICE

LORD STONHAM initiated a debate on the problems of the hospital service in the House of Lords on April 26.

He said that in a speech to the National Association for Mental Health last month the Minister of Health had declared that within 15 years 75,000 mental hospital beds would not be required and that by far the greater number of mental hospitals would be eliminated. The facts challenged the validity of the Minister's statistical projection. Seventy-five per cent. of the patients were long-stay cases, and 40 per cent. of those who returned home had to be readmitted. If the Minister's hope of abolishing 50 per cent. of psychiatric beds rested on the expedient of 'back to the community' it would not only be irresponsibly optimistic but completely false.

On the hospital waiting lists there were 500,000 people. Better use must be made of available beds. If the average duration of stay was cut by one day the waiting lists could be wiped out. If the turnover interval between patients was cut by a day it would be the same as providing 15,000 extra beds, at a cost of £60 million, if they had to be housed in new hospitals.

Since every hospital was obsolescent before its working life began, it was reasonable to suggest that available money should be spent first on ending the appalling situation in existing hospitals where the risk of catching infection was greater than at home.

The exploitation of the goodwill of the devoted staffs of hospitals was not economy but waste. For example, in a memorandum published last month, the Royal College of Nursing had expressed grave concern at the growing shortage of nurse tutors and had pointed to the bad effect on nursing standards. The fact was that the same salary had to be paid to nurses whether they were good or bad, and it merely added to costs if it was not ensured that they were properly trained. Obviously, the cheapest way to do that was to pay the key workers, the tutors, well and he hoped the Government would implement the Royal College's suggestion for new grades, including that of 'director of nursing education', and for pay scales comparable to those for teachers in establishments for further education. The case was unanswerable.

The Whitley Council machinery did not work, because the Government used it not to implement just claims but to frustrate them. If any progress was to be made the Whitley Councils must be abolished.

The Earl of Feversham, chairman of the National Association for Mental Health, said that in broad principle the association supported the blueprint laid down by the Minister, who sided with enlightened progress.

There was very likely to be a breakthrough in the research into schizophrenia in the next 10 years and the implications would be dramatic. One-third of the mental hospital beds could be emptied overnight.

He asked for confirmation that there would be a change of the basis of the payment of administrative and nursing staffs and that no longer would it be determined by the number-of-beds control which at the moment ruled.

Lady Summerskill said that so far the measures the Minister had introduced had been absolutely disastrous.

'Human relations in Obstetrics' was concerned about the growing complaints of the way mothers were treated in childbirth. No one could say how much suffering could be avoided if hospital staff were more conscious of their professional obligations to relieve a mother's pain. The mistake women made was not to scream loudly enough. They were often intimidated and their courage and patience were exploited.

Wages and conditions were geared to the Victorian era, said Lady Summerskill. An independent committee should make a complete evaluation of nurses' work, otherwise the midwifery service would be in jeopardy.

The Bishop of Lichfield said that he believed there were a number of trained nurses who had been out of practice for some time and who hesitated about coming back because they thought they had become rusty and were not used to new techniques. Refresher courses might encourage them to return and offer part-time service.

The Earl of Longford said that it was felt that the General Nursing Council had not yet adapted its forms of training to the great changes in the treatment and understanding of mental illness. There had been a tendency to regard mental nurses as requiring ordinary nursing training but at a slightly lower level, instead of appreciating the fact that they probably needed to be more equipped, or to have a stronger vocation, than the average nurses.

Lord Taylor said that the Whitley Council machinery was rotten from top to bottom. Many of the fundamental things wrong with the hospital service staff stemmed from the fact that not all the staff had got direct negotiating machinery with the Treasury, as the medical profession had.

Lord Newton, Captain, Yeomen of the Guard, who replied for the Government, said that the total number of courses of treatment had risen from 3.65 million to 4 million. In 1960 the figure rose to 4.1 million and the percentage occupancy in 1959 was 87 per cent. But generally it must be right to make the best use of resources and not hang on to those for which the need was past. The NHS Advisory Council for Management Efficiency had turned its attention to the problem of bed use, and some very good advice had been given in a circular from the Department and in a report by a study group of the Hospital Administrative Staff College.

On balance it was quite clear that over the coming years there would be a large, progressive decline in the number of beds needed for mental illness. He recognized that reports of a likely reduction in the number of hospital beds had given rise to some anxiety on the part of staff. The Minister, however, had wished him to emphasize that there were no grounds for such anxiety, because a reduction in the number of beds did not mean a reduction in the psychiatric hospital services.

The high turnover of patients might be a factor needing examination in considering cross-infection. It would be the Minister's expectation that all hospital authorities with a maternity hospital or department in their charge would be aware of this point and would be keen to improve their performance.

There had been considerable criticism of the Whitley system, but it was a form of collective bargaining which worked very well on the whole, and if it were jettisoned he did not know what could be put in its place that would work more satisfactorily. Any attempt to compete with the salaries offered by industry would have no other effect than to raise the bidding and, in the end, the result would be to bring no benefit to the hospital service and to increase the cost put on the taxpayer.

Platt Report Mr. Kenneth Robinson (St. Pancras, North) asked the Minister of Health on April 24 if he was aware that many hospitals had done little or nothing to implement the recommendations of the Platt Report on Children in Hospital, and whether he had now collated the replies sent to him by hospital authorities on the subject.

Mr. Powell.—The replies have been collated and I intend to publish a summary in my annual report. I am satisfied that the Platt report has been thoroughly studied and that its major recommendations have been widely accepted. Implementation of some depends on new building and staffing. The Minister said he agreed entirely about unrestricted visiting.

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Foods and Their Values

2. MEAT AND FISH

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IN THIS SECOND ARTICLE we continue the discussion of animal foods by giving more details of their nutritive value together with some methods of cooking.

Liver and kidneys are better sources of vitamins than lean muscle-meat. Fish is an important source of the iodine needed for the functioning of the thyroid gland. These are some of the facts that emerge in this second article in our series on nutrition.

Nutritive Value of Meat, Poultry and Game

Proteins. As already mentioned, these are of the type required by the human body; some of those from offals, however, are of even higher biological value than those of muscle-meat.

Fats. The amount of fat present varies with the animal's nutritional state, the extent of trimming and the method of preparation. In most meats the fat is in distinct layers and can be trimmed off, as in beef. In pork and duck, however, it is deposited in minute particles throughout the muscles as well.

Vitamins. Most muscle-meats contain appreciable quantities of nicotinic acid and small amounts of B_1. In pork and bacon, however, large amounts of B_1 and small amounts of vitamin E occur. Most meats contain only traces of vitamins A and C, except for liver, which is a rich source of A and also has large amounts of riboflavine (B_2) and nicotinic acid with small amounts of B_2. The glandular organs of meat, poultry and game such as liver and kidney are better vitamin sources than the muscles.

Minerals. The chief minerals supplied by meat are phosphorus, iron and calcium. Generally speaking, meat is rich in phosphorus, and poor in calcium. Of its iron content, more than 60 per cent. of that from offals is available to the body as compared with 10-20 per cent. from muscle meats. Iron is particularly abundant in liver and kidney and to a small extent in corned beef. Tripe contains much more calcium than other meats; it is derived from the lime used during its preparation.

Nutritive Value of Fish and Shellfish

Proteins, like those of meat, poultry and game, are of the type required by the human body—that is, they contain the essential amino-acids. On the whole they contain more water and less fat, except for such oily fish as salmon, mackerel and herring.

Vitamins, as in meat, game and poultry, the glandular organs such as liver, kidney and roe have a greater vitamin concentration than the muscles. Unlike meat, the fat of fish provides a valuable source of vitamins A and D in the diet. Fish is also a good source of nicotinic acid and contains appreciable amounts of riboflavine; only small amounts of B_1 are present, however.

Minerals. Apart from drinking water and vegetables, fish is the best dietary source of iodine; in shellfish this is particularly high. In addition, fish often contains more calcium than an equivalent amount of beef or mutton but considerably less than that in milk. Canned fish such as salmon and sardines are a good calcium and phosphorus source since the softened bones are normally eaten.

Advantages of Animal Foods—

1. Their flavour and palatability stimu- late appetite and so increase the secretion of gastric juice.
2. They have a high satiety value.
3. They supply protein of high biolog- cal value.

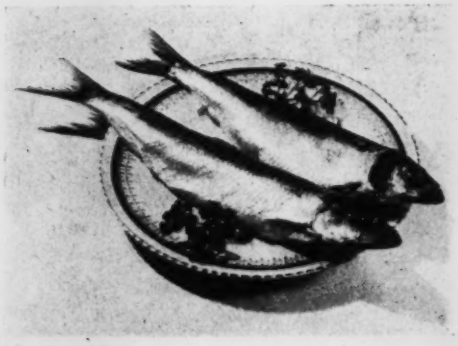
—and Disadvantages

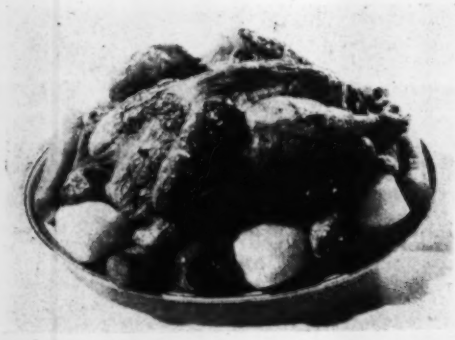
1. Excessive consumption could restri the intake of other valuable foods.
2. The expensive cuts are costly a protein sources.
3. Compared with such first-class pro tein as milk and cheese, these foods a deficient in calcium and vitamins.
4. They have a relatively high purin content and so may be restricted in som diseases.

Methods of Cooking Animal Foods

The main methods are roasting, grillin baking, boiling, stewing, steaming, pre sure cooking, frying and high-frequenc cooking.

Roasting, grilling and baking involve th application of dry heat direct to the food— —the object being to harden the surfac albumen. Roasting seems to be the favou ite British method and is suited only to th tender cuts of meat. Its disadvantage i that wastage is great—about one-third o the weight may be lost and only a sma part of this is recoverable in the dripping Grilling is an economical method since i is quick and little fuel is required. Weigh losses are less than in most methods but i is suitable only for the tenderest cuts suc as steaks and chops. Baking is similar t roasting in that in both, food is cooked i





Protein, Fat and Minerals in Meat, Poultry and Game per oz.

	Protein g.	Fat g.	Iron mg.	Phosphorus mg.	Calcium mg.	Calories
Meat						
Muscle						
Beef, sirloin, roast, lean and fat	6.0	9.0	1.3	67	1.6	109
Pork, roast	7.0	6.5	0.5	103	1.5	90
Mutton, roast	7.1	5.8	1.2	69	1.2	83
Veal, roast	8.7	3.3	1.2	101	4.0	66
Venison, roast	9.5	1.8	2.2	81	8.2	56
Organs						
Liver, fried	8.3	4.1	6.2	164	2.5	74
Kidney, fried	7.9	2.6	4.0	123	4.7	57
Heart, roast	7.0	4.2	2.3	111	2.7	68
Brain, boiled	3.4	1.6	0.6	101	4.6	29
Sweetbreads, stewed	6.4	2.6	0.5	169	4.0	51
Tripe, stewed	5.1	0.9	0.5	38	36.0	29
Tongue, stewed	5.1	6.8	1.0	56	3.2	84
Poultry						
Chicken, boiled	7.5	3.0	0.5	77	3.0	58
Duck, roast	6.5	6.7	1.6	66	5.5	89
Goose, roast	8.0	6.5	1.3	76	3.0	92
Turkey, roast	8.5	2.0	1.0	91	11.0	56
Game						
Grouse, roast	8.6	1.5	2.0	96	8.5	49
Partridge, roast	10.0	2.0	2.4	89	14.0	60
Pheasant	9.0	2.5	2.5	88	14.0	61

Vitamins in Meat and Poultry per oz.

	A i.u.	B_1 mg.	B_2 mg.	Nic. mg.	C mg.	D mg.	E mg.
Meat							
Muscle							
Beef, roast	Tr.	0.02	0.07	1.3	0	Tr.	0.2
Pork, roast	Tr.	0.2	0.06	1.7	0	Tr.	0
Mutton, roast	Tr.	0.05	0.05	1.2	0	Tr.	0
Veal, roast	Tr.	0.03	0.06	2.0	0	Tr.	0
Venison	Tr.	0.03	0.03	2.5	0	0	0
Organs							
Liver, fried	13,600	0.1	0.9	3.8	6	6	0.3
Kidney braised	300	0	0.6	1.4	0	0	0
Heart, stewed	60	0.1	0.3	2.0	0	0	0
Tongue, canned	Tr.	0.01	0.08	0	0	Tr.	0
Brain, raw	Tr.	0.03	0.08	1.0	Tr.	Tr.	0
Sweetbread	0	0.03	0.1	1.0	0	0	0
Tripe	10	0.05	0.03	1.0	0	0	0
Poultry							
Chicken, roast	Tr.	0.01	0.04	2.3	0	Tr.	1.0
Duck, roast	0	0.03	0.06	1.3	0	0	0
Goose, roast	0	0.03	0.06	2.0	0	0	0
Turkey, roast	Tr.	0.02	0.03	2.0	0	Tr.	0

Protein, Fat and Minerals in Fish and Shellfish per oz.

	Protein g.	Fat g.	Iron mg.	Phosphorus mg.	Calcium mg.	Calories
White Fish						
Cod, steamed	5.0	0.3	0.1	69	4.0	23
Haddock, steamed	6.2	0.2	0.3	66	16.0	28
Plaice, steamed	5.1	0.5	0.2	70	10.7	25
Oily Fish						
Halibut, steamed	6.5	1.0	0.2	72	3.5	37
Herring, fried	6.2	4.3	0.5	96	11.0	67
Mackerel, fried	5.7	3.2	0.3	80	8.0	53
Salmon, steamed	4.5	3.0	0.2	70	6.5	46
Sardine, canned	6.0	6.5	1.0	194	116	84
Shellfish						
Crab, boiled	5.5	1.5	0.4	99	8.3	36
Lobster, boiled	6.0	1.0	0.2	81	18	34
Shrimps	6.5	0.7	0.5	77	90	32
Prawns	6.0	0.5	0.3	99	40	30
Oysters	3.0	0.3	1.7	76	53	14
Mussels, boiled	4.8	0.6	3.8	94	56	25
Winkles, boiled	4.5	0.5	4.3	62	39	21
Cockles	3.0	0.1	7.4	58	36	14

Vitamins in Fish and Shellfish per oz.

	A i.u.	B_1 mg.	B_2 mg.	Nic. mg.	C mg.	D i.u.	E mg.
White Fish							
Cod	Tr.	0.02	0.04	1.0	Tr.	0	0
Haddock	Tr.	0.02	0.03	1.0	Tr.	0	0.1
Oily Fish							
Halibut, smoked	115*	0.03	0.03	1.5	Tr.	10	0
Herring, raw	43	0.01	0.1	1.0	Tr.	260	0.3
Mackerel, raw	43	0.03	0.1	2.0	Tr.	200	0.4
Salmon, canned	85*	0.01	0.03	2.0	Tr.	140*	0
Sardine, canned	30	Tr.	0.05	1.3	Tr.	85	0
Shellfish							
Crab, boiled	Tr.	0.04	0.04	0.7	Tr.	0	0
Lobster, boiled	Tr.	0	0.01	0.4	Tr.	0	0
Shrimps, boiled	Tr.	0.01	0.01	0.7	Tr.	Tr.	0
Oysters, raw	70	0.03	0.05	0.4	2	Tr.	0
Mussels	Tr.	0.04	0.07	0	0	Tr.	0

*value for Pacific fish—that for Atlantic fish may be 0.

Tr. = Trace.

(Data from *The Composition of Foods*, M.R.C. special report series No. 297, and other sources.)

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the oven; roasting, however, involves the use of fat for cooking.

Boiling, stewing, steaming and pressure cooking need water; *braising* needs some sort of stock. Shrinkage is greatest by these methods and whatever is boiled or stewed loses nutrients and much flavour to the surrounding liquor which therefore should not be wasted. These methods are suitable for tough, fibrous meat and gelatinous meat such as knuckles, heads and feet. They are economical methods since the cheapest meats can be used, nothing is wasted and little fuel and attention are required. Steaming is particularly economical since fuel is saved by using tiered saucepans.

Frying utilizes the high degree of heat from hot fat. It may be deep-frying when food is covered with fat, or shallow-frying when very little fat is needed. Melted fat can be brought to a high temperature and the food coming into contact with it is quickly cooked. It is not suitable for tough meats because cooking is too rapid.

High-frequency cooking utilizes a high-frequency current; infra-red cooking utilizes an extended range of radiant heat.

Effects of Cooking Animal Foods

All these cooking methods have a similar effect on the main constituents of meat. Heat applied in any way causes the elastin in the connective tissue to shrink, the collagen being converted to gelatin by heat in the presence of water. The muscle fibres as a result separate and the meat becomes tender. The proteins coagulate and the meat then becomes firm and shrinks. This in turn causes an extrusion of the juices and leads to some loss in weight, which tends to increase as the temperature rises. Most shrinkage seems to occur in the first 15-20 minutes of cooking—it is greatest in boiling and stewing, but some occurs in all methods. Shrinkage can be reduced by coating and searing meat, by marinading and by hanging, also by slow cooking.

NEXT WEEK

The effects of cooking and preservation on the nutritive value of meat and fish.

Royal College of Nursing

SISTER TUTOR SECTION

South Western Metropolitan. St. Mary Abbots Hospital, W.8, Thursday, May 11, 7 p.m. General meeting (one hour before Branch meeting at 8 p.m.).

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH SECTION

Birmingham. Canal excursion leaving Gas Street at 6.45 p.m., Wednesday, May 10.

North Eastern and South Eastern Metropolitan. Messrs. Thomas Hedley and Co., West Thurrock, Tuesday, May 9, 7 p.m. *Training in Safety*, Mr. Galput. (Green Line 723B from Aldgate to West Thurrock. This bus can be boarded at Barking.)

North Western and South Western Metropolitan. Room 390, 55, Broadway (over St. James's Park station), Thursday, May 11. *Bronchitis*, Dr. P. A. B. Raffle, senior medical officer, L.T.E. Refreshments from 6.30 p.m.

BRANCHES

Brighton and Hove. Royal Alexandra Hospital, Thursday, May 18. Executive meeting 7 p.m., open meeting 7.30 p.m.

Dartford and North Kent. West Hill Hospital, Dartford, Monday, May 8, 7.30 p.m. General meeting. Guest speaker: Miss J. Eason, *The British Council*.

Dunfermline. Women's Centre, 12, Abbey Park Place, Wednesday, May 17, 7 p.m. Bring-and-buy sale and coffee evening.

Hull. Recreation Hall, Hull Royal Infirmary, Friday, May 12, 7.20 p.m. Guest speaker: Miss A. Holder, chairman of the Branches Standing Committee.

Liverpool. Florence Nightingale commemoration service for members of the nursing profession and their friends, in the cathedral, Sunday, May 14, 3 p.m. Preacher: the Rt. Rev. Canon Redwood.

North Western Metropolitan. The Hoo (Nurses Home, Hampstead General Hospital), Lyndhurst Gardens, Hampstead, N.W.3, Thursday, May 18, 7 30 p.m. Wine and cheese party. Tickets 5s. Belsize Park Tube Station, turn right, short walk up Haverstock Hill to hospital. Inquire at hospital for directions to The Hoo (few minutes' walk). Come and bring your friends.

Nottingham. General Hospital, May 15, 7.15 p.m. Open meeting. *Branch Affairs*, Mrs. J. C. Kilmister. Florence Nightingale memorial service, City Hospital chapel, Sunday, May 14, 10.30 a.m.

St. Andrews. Stratheden Hospital, Wednesday, May 17, 6.45 p.m. *Aspects of Clinical Psychology*, Miss H. Ferguson.

Stoke-on-Trent. Hartshill Parish Church, Wednesday, May 10, 7 p.m. Florence Nightingale commemoration service. Next Branch meeting, North Staffordshire Royal Infirmary, Wednesday, May 17, 7 p.m. Discussion with North Staffs. Medical Society on proposed medical institute for North Staffs.

Watford. The Avenue Clinic (corner St. Albans Road), Tuesday, May 16, 7.30 p.m. Bring-and-buy sale. Committee meeting at 6.30 p.m.

A BRAINS TRUST

is to be held in the Nurses Home, The General Hospital, Northampton, on Tuesday, May 9, at 7.30 p.m.

PANEL

Mr. P. L. Battle, Chairman

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'Eulenspiegel' of the *Nursing Times*

Miss P. Goodall, principal sister tutor, Leicester Royal Infirmary

Miss V. M. Jenkinson, ward sister, St. George's Hospital, S.W.1.

Members should not miss this occasion, and non-members are warmly invited to come to hear the discussion by the panel, and to take part in an open session later in the evening.

Northampton Branch

Meeting organized by the North Western Metropolitan Branch in the Cowdray Hall, Thursday, May 25, 7.15 p.m.

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Western Region. Byes—Killearn Hospital, Killearn; Western Infirmary, Glasgow, B team; The Royal Infirmary, Stirling; Royal Hospital for Sick Children, Glasgow; Victoria Infirmary, Glasgow, A team; County Hospital, Ayr. Victoria Infirmary, Glasgow, B team play Southern General Hospital, Govan. Western Infirmary, Glasgow, A team play Ayrshire Central Hospital, Maternity Section, Irvine.

COLLEGE APPEAL

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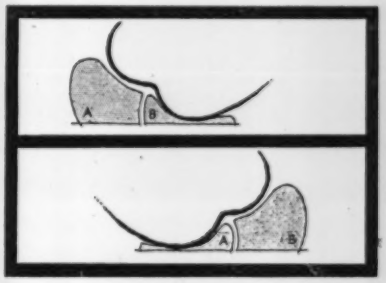

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A BRAINS TRUST was held by Dorset Branch, RCN, at Weymouth and District Hospital recently. At a sherry party beforehand were, left to right, Miss E. C. Newport, Miss E. M. Mason, Miss G. M. Godden, Lady Digby, Mrs. A. A. Woodman and Miss M. Hughes.

Florence Nightingale Fair

One of the objects of the Florence Nightingale Fair to be held at Chelsea Town Hall on May 24 and 25 is to provide more FNIF scholarships for nurses' post-certificate study; another is to raise funds for the maintenance of Florence Nightingale House, the international hostel for trained nurse students attending courses in London. Those now in residence are to man a stall at the fair, and they represent British Honduras, Cyprus, Ghana, Hong Kong, India, Jamaica, Kuwait, Singapore, Lebanon, Malaya, Nigeria, the West Indies and New Zealand. An amusing feature planned for the opening will be the arrival of the coster pearly king and queen; they are being brought to Chelsea in a Phantom Rolls.

Taller London Children

London children are taller and heavier, and differences between the measurements of children from the poorer and the better-off localities are smaller than formerly. These points are made in a report published by the LCC on the heights and weights and other measurements of schoolchildren in the county of London in 1959 (price 1s.).

Between 1949 and 1959 the average height of London schoolboys at age 10 and over rose by just over one-and-a-half inches, and weight rose by over three pounds at age 10 and over six pounds at age 14. Both boys and girls are reaching sexual maturity earlier, 13.83 years for boys and 13.05 years for girls. Sexually mature children were found to be taller and heavier than immature children of the same age, and average heights and weights were found to decrease as family size increased.

Stroke Rehabilitation

A conference on 'Stroke Rehabilitation' will be held in London on June 22, open to all concerned in the care of the 'stroke' patient. Programmes are available from the Chest and Heart Association, Tavistock House North, Tavistock Square, London, W.C.1.

SHEFFIELD MIDWIVES COURSE. The seventh post-certificate course of Sheffield Branch, Royal College of Midwives, was 'successful, varied and enjoyable'. Miss J. P. Ferlie, president RCM (seated centre), was present at the course.

Prevention of Suicide

Most suicides are preventable, said a speaker at a recent meeting of the Royal Society of Medicine on 'The Problem of Suicide'. The majority of suicides gave warning of their intentions and awareness of this should lead to prevention, said Professor G. M. Carstairs, of Edinburgh. Attempted suicide tended to occur in young women, successful suicide in older men. Suicides occurred among those who had isolated lives deprived of contact with family, friends, or a religious community.

Dr. Peter Sainsbury, of Chichester, noted the increased incidence of suicides in old age and discussed many of the contributory factors, such as loneliness, loss of status, retirement and physical illness. He stressed the importance of preparation for retirement and felt that the aged would remain suicide-prone until they felt they had a real place in the community.

Bristol—An Exhibition

In 1696, John Carey of Bristol pressed for the legislation which eventually made the care of the mentally sick a public responsibility. In 1961, Glenside Barrow Hospitals (formerly Bristol Mental Hospitals) celebrate their centenary. A very comprehensive exhibition showing the development of the mental health services from 1696 to 1961 is being held at the Royal West of England Academy of Art, Bristol, from May 4-24. Modern psychiatry will be demonstrated in different sections, including the most up-to-date techniques of treatment and investigation, rehabilitation, after-care, 'creative art for the patient', and the evolution of nurse training.

Tailpiece

'A committee of three has been appointed by Chichester Council's Finance and General Purposes Committee to look into the suggestion that a subcommittee be set up with the task of finding ways of reducing time spent on committee meetings.'

EVENING NEWS, April 7.

HOSPITAL AND OTHER NURSING VACANCIES

NORTH DEVON HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
TORRINGTON COTTAGE HOSPITAL

Applications are invited for the post of Sister of this Cottage Hospital for general and maternity cases. Salary in the scale £815 x £37 (2) x £32 (2)—£971 p.a. Self-contained flat available.

Applications, stating age, experience, etc., together with the names of two referees, to Group Secretary, 19 Alexandra Road, Barnstaple. (2795)

LEICESTER NO. 3 HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Applications are invited for the appointment of resident **Matron** at the Glenfrith Hospital, Kibworth Hall, Kibworth, Nr. Leicester.

The hospital provides accommodation for 33 severely sub-normal children and is pleasantly situated about ten miles from the City Centre and quite near to the main A6 highway. Applicants should hold a recognised qualification in the nursing of the mentally subnormal or mentally ill, and qualification in general nursing will be an additional advantage. Applicants must be interested in the care and welfare of children and preferably have had previous experience in this type of nursing. Salary and conditions of service will be in accordance with the appropriate Whitley Council scales and intending applicants are invited to visit and tour the hospital should they wish to do so.

Applications, in writing, together with the names of three referees, should be forwarded to the Group Secretary, Towers Hospital, Leicester, not later than 15th May, 1961. (2853)

SOUTHPORT AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
HEAVES HALL MENTAL DEFICIENCY HOSPITAL
BANKS, Nr. SOUTHPORT

Matron (resident—house available on rental basis if preferred), qualifications should include R.N.M.D. At present 110 female patients (salary £835 x £30 (5)—£985).

There is a Chief Male Nurse in charge of the male side. Work has started on development which in 1962/63 will raise the female beds to 250 and the male beds to 360, when a joint nurse training school is planned. Ultimately the hospital is planned on the basis of 500 beds on each side.

Application forms from the Group Secretary, Promenade Hospital, Southport. (2858)

LEICESTER NO. 3 HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Applications are invited for the post of **Matron at The Towers Hospital, Leicester**—a psychiatric hospital of 895 beds (486 male)—which will become vacant on the retirement of the present Matron in October, 1961.

Applicants must be doubly trained and well experienced in psychiatric nursing and in nursing administraton.

The hospital, which is a Training School for Nurses, functions medically through three clinical teams each under a Consultant Psychiatrist and active programmes of treatment are carried out.

The female wards are undergoing extensive modifications which will be completed in 1965/66 and the post offers considerable scope for an applicant interested in re-organization and the introduction of modern techniques.

Residential accommodation is available.

Prospective applicants are invited to visit and tour the hospital if they should wish to do so by appointment with the Group Secretary.

Applications, together with the names of three referees, should be sent by 14th June, 1961, to the Group Secretary, The Towers Hospital, Leicester. (2877)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL
HEADINGTON, OXFORD

Deputy Superintendent required for busy Medical Department of 45 beds and cots. Grade II Training School. M.T.D. essential. Vacancy occurring shortly.

Applications to Matron. (2329)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
RADCLIFFE INFIRMARY

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron.** This post covers the full range of nursing administrative duties and provides many opportunities for interesting work in connection with specialised projects.

Applications should be sent to the Matron, giving three names for reference purposes. (2848)

UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS
LIVERPOOL ROYAL INFIRMARY
(374 beds)

Applications are invited for the post of **Second Assistant Matron** at the Liverpool Royal Infirmary. The post offers excellent administrative experience. Salary and conditions of service in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations.

Apply, stating age, and giving details of training and experience and three names for reference, to Matron, Royal Infirmary, Liverpool, 3. (2872)

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY, SURREY

FIRST ASSISTANT MATRON

The post of **First Assistant Matron** at the above hospital is now vacant. St. Peter's is an acute general hospital with 394 beds and is a training school for male and female students. Although in rural surroundings it is also within easy reach of London and several towns. This post is ideal for those wishing to obtain a Senior Nursing administrative post in two or three years' time.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Matron, Miss M. Roberts.

Applicants will be required to deputize for Matron. Preference will be given to applicants with a recognised certificate in hospital nursing administration who should also have had previous administrative experience.

Application form from Group Secretary, Woking and Chertsey H.M.C., Huntington, Guildford Road, Chertsey, Surrey. (2846)

Royal Buckinghamshire and Associated Hospitals Management Committee

STOKE MANDEVILLE HOSPITAL
AYLESBURY, BUCKINGHAMSHIRE
(General Hospital—631 beds)

DEPUTY MATRON

Applications are invited from persons having wide experience for the appointment of **Deputy Matron** which will fall vacant when the present holder, Miss N. M. Compton, leaves to take a senior appointment elsewhere.

In addition to being a general hospital, Stoke Mandeville is very well-known for its Spinal Injuries Centre and also has special departments for plastic surgery and burns, neurology and rheumatism research.

The hospital, which is the largest in the group, participates with the Royal Buckinghamshire Hospital and Tindal General Hospital in the training of Student Nurses and Pupil Assistant Nurses, and the Matron is responsible for recruitment, allocation and training of Student Nurses.

Existing holiday arrangements will be honoured.

Arrangements may be made with the Matron to visit the hospital.

Applications, with full particulars of age, training, qualifications and experience, together with three names for reference, should be sent to the Group Secretary, 9 Bicester Road, Aylesbury, Bucks., immediately. (2842)

SELLY OAK HOSPITAL
(1,033 beds)

DEPUTY MATRON

Applications invited from suitably qualified candidates for above post. Nursing Administration (Hospital) Certificate of the Royal College of Nursing an advantage. Administrative experience essential. Hospital comprises acute general and chronic sick wards and is recognised:

(1) By the General Nursing Council as:
(a) Complete General Training School for male and female Student Nurses.
(b) Assistant Nurse Training School for male and female Pupil Assistant Nurses.
(2) Central Midwives' Board as Part I Midwifery Training School.

Salary £940 x £31 (3) x £32 (2)—£1,097, less residential charges of £245 per annum.

Applications, giving age, education, qualifications and experience, with names of three referees, as soon as possible to Secretary, Birmingham (Selly Oak) Hospital Management Committee, Oak Tree Lane, Selly Oak, Birmingham, 29, from who further information concerning the hospital may be obtained. (2843)

West Cornwall Hospital Management Committee

WEST CORNWALL HOSPITAL, PENZANCE

and Associated Hospitals

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** to the West Cornwall Hospital and Associated Hospitals (160 beds), comprising the West Cornwall Hospital, Penzance (100 beds), Poltair Hospital, Penzance (37 beds), Edward Hain Hospital, St. Ives (14 beds), and St. Mary's Hospital, Isles of Scilly (9 beds). The successful candidate will be responsible, in the absence of the Matron, for the nursing administration and staffing of these hospitals. The West Cornwall Hospital, with Poltair Hospital, comprises a complete training school for the General Register.

The salary will be on the scale of £788-£914, less £230 emoluments, per annum, and the appointment will be subject to the regulations of the Ministry of Health relating to such an office. Residential accommodation consists of a first-floor flat, separate from the hospital and nurses' home.

Applications, from those suitably qualified, stating age, qualifications, place of training, details of present post and past experience, and giving names of three persons to whom reference can be made, should be sent to the Matron, West Cornwall Hospital, Penzance. (2908)

RANSOM HOSPITAL

RAINWORTH, Nr. MANSFIELD, NOTTS.

Applications invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** at this hospital which has 203 beds for chest diseases and tuberculosis, with a Thoracic Surgery Unit. Associated Nurse Training School and also training for the B.T.A. Certificate. Salary £814-£940, less £235 per annum residential emoluments. Previous experience in a chest hospital desirable, but not essential.

Applications, with names of three referees, to Group Secretary, Nottingham No. 5 Hospital Management Committee at the above address. (2980)

BRETBY HALL ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL

BRETBY, Nr. BURTON-ON-TRENT

Assistant Matron (Deputy to the Matron) required for the above hospital which is for orthopaedic and recovery cases. Salary £788 x £31 (2) x £32 (2)—£914, less £230 per annum in respect of residential emoluments. Duties include control of domestic staff and catering arrangements.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and names of three referees, should be forwarded to Group Secretary, Derbyshire Royal Infirmary, Derby. (2394)

SOUTH MANCHESTER HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
CHRISTIE HOSPITAL AND HOLT RADIUM INSTITUTE
WITHINGTON, MANCHESTER, 20

First Assistant Matron required at the above hospital. Post vacant end of June, 1961.

The hospital, with 252 beds, including a private patients' block, is a Pupil Assistant Nurse Training School and a Post-graduate Training School for radiotherapeutic nursing.

Whitley Council salary and conditions of service, i.e. £814-£940 p.a., less £235 p.a. residential emoluments.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience together with the names of two referees, to the Matron as soon as possible. (2699)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
RADCLIFFE INFIRMARY

Applications are invited for the post of **Sister Tutor** in the Senior Teaching Dept.

Please apply to Matron, with two names for reference purposes. (2535)

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL
GOWER STREET, LONDON, W.C.1

Sister Tutor required.

Please apply, with full particulars, to the Matron, from whom further details of the post may be obtained. (2708)

THE UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS

Applications are invited from qualified persons with suitable experience for the post of **Principal Nurse Tutor** at the David Lewis Northern Hospital (208 beds), which is one of ten teaching hospitals forming The United Liverpool Hospitals. The hospital is a recognised Nurse Training School for the general part of the Register.

The terms and conditions of service are in accordance with the Nurses' and Midwives' Whitley Council recommendations and the appointment is subject to the provisions of the National Health Service (Superannuation) Regulations. The salary is on the scale £908 to £1,034 per annum and there is a deduction of £240 per annum for residence.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience together with the names of three referees, should reach the Secretary, The United Liverpool Hospitals, 80 Rodney Street, Liverpool, 1, by 17th May, 1961. (2750)

BROADGREEN HOSPITAL
LIVERPOOL, 14

Applications are invited from suitably qualified nurses for the appointment of two **Registered Nurse Tutors.**

The hospital has 653 beds and is a General Training School for male and female nurses.

The Tutorial Staff consists of a Principal Tutor and three Assistants.

Whitley Council salary scales and conditions of service.

Apply to Matron as soon as possible. (2857)

THE MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL
LONDON, W.1

Applications are invited for the post of **Sister Tutor,** vacant in the Autumn.

Further particulars can be obtained from the Matron. (2871)

ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL
GRAY'S INN ROAD, LONDON, W.C.1

Administrative Sister required for our Islington Branch—150 beds. Salary according to Whitley Council scale. Post may be resident or non-resident.

Further particulars may be obtained from Matron. (2706)

THE UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS
THE ROYAL LIVERPOOL CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
MYRTLE STREET, LIVERPOOL, 7

Applications are invited for the post of **Home Sister.** Opportunities for administrative experience.

Apply, with two names for reference, to Matron. (2796)

THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN
GT. ORMOND STREET, LONDON, W.C.1

Vacancy for an **Administrative Sister** to assist the Sister in Charge at the country branch at Tadworth, Surrey. S.R.N. and R.S.C.N.

For further details apply to the Matron. (2875)

CHARING CROSS GROUP OF HOSPITALS
WEST LONDON HOSPITAL
HAMMERSMITH ROAD, W.6

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Home Sister** who will be responsible for the administration of the Nurses' Homes.

Apply to Matron for further details. (2989)

LIVERPOOL AND CROSSLEY HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
CROSSLEY HOSPITAL
KINGSWOOD, FRODSHAM

The following staff are urgently required:
Theatre Sister.
Night Sister (resident or non-resident).
Staff Nurses for Surgical Wards.
Staff Nurses (for Medical Wards).
State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.
Nursing Auxiliaries.
Apply Matron. (2917)

WESSEX REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

(HIGHCROFT, ROMSEY ROAD, WINCHESTER)

Hampshire, Dorset, Isle of Wight and part of Wiltshire

This region includes most attractive rural areas with many pleasant coastal and inland towns of great historic interest. Applications are invited for the following appointments and should be sent, with details of age, training, qualifications and experience, to the Matron of the hospital, from whom further details may be obtained. National salary scales apply.

Enquiries about other posts and training facilities should be addressed to the Board's Nursing Officer.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES

LORD MAYOR TRELOAR ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, ALTON, HANTS. (Adults and Children—320 beds). Male and female S.R.N.s with an interest in orthopaedic nursing, accepted for one year's salaried course commencing May, September and January.

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (629 beds). S.R.N. for post-registration course of training in the Ear, Nose and Throat Department. Candidates prepared for the Midland Institute of Otology Certificate. Also S.R.N. for six months' Post-registration Course in the Department of Plastic and Oral Surgery. Certificate awarded. Vacancies occur on 1st April, 1st July, 1st October and 1st January. Salary as for Staff Nurse. Further details from Matron.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER (RELIEF)

WEYMOUTH AND PORTLAND HOSPITALS, DORSET (Complete General Training School—306 beds). S.R.N. (Category b) to relieve holidays of senior administrative nursing staff (Assistant Matrons, Home Sisters and Night Superintendents) in three hospitals. Excellent opportunity for applicants with ambition to gain experience in all branches of administrative nursing. Pleasant seaside towns. Applications to Matron, Weymouth and District Hospital.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

DORSET COUNTY (109 beds) and **DAMERS HOSPITALS,** DORCHESTER (125 beds). (Category B) S.R.N. required for relief administrative duties at these two hospitals. Pleasant county town—eight miles from coast. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

YEATMAN HOSPITAL, SHERBORNE (60 beds). Assistant Nurse Training School. Senior Night Sister. S.R.N. Part-time appointment—three nights per week considered.

THEATRE SISTERS

SOUTHAMPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, TREMONA ROAD, SHIRLEY, SOUTHAMPTON (465 beds). S.R.N.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

WEYMOUTH AND PORTLAND HOSPITALS, DORSET (Complete General Training School of 306 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N., for holiday relief duties in acute wards. Suitable for first Ward Sister appointment leading to promotion. Apply Matron, Weymouth and District Hospital, Weymouth.

SISTERS

LORD MAYOR TRELOAR ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, ALTON (Adults and Children—320 beds). Ward Sister, experienced, for small private wing (general and orthopaedic surgery). Resident or non-resident. Easy reach of London and the coast.

NORTH ALLINGTON HOSPITAL, BRIDPORT (Chest—22 beds). Ward Sister or Charge Nurse. S.R.N.

ROMSEY HOSPITAL, ROMSEY, HANTS. (28 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., some midwifery experience, for relief of Night Sister and general duties.

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL (629 beds). Modern Ophthalmic Department consisting of Theatre, Out-patient Clinics and Ward. Sister required principally for ward duties but to work directly under Departmental Sister. Excellent experience. Ophthalmic Certificate preferred. Also Ward Sister, S.R.N., preferably with E.N.T. experience. One of three in 30 bed unit. Resident or non-resident.

WESTMINSTER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, SHAFTESBURY (General—20, Maternity—10 beds). Sister or Staff Midwife. S.R.N., S.C.M. Two nights one week and three the next. Relief for night duty.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

LORD MAYOR TRELOAR ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, ALTON, HANTS. (Adults and Children—320 beds). Orthopaedic and plastic surgery. Opportunity to gain experience. Female. Resident or non-resident. Forty-four hour week.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

DORSET COUNTY HOSPITAL, DORCHESTER (109 beds). Part of General Training School. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

FRED WOOLLEY HOUSE, CHILWORTH, SOUTHAMPTON (Post-operative Annexe—53 beds). Resident or non-resident. Apply Matron, Royal South Hants Hospital, Fanshawe Street, Southampton.

HARNWOOD HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (T.B.—51 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. Resident or non-resident.

LORD MAYOR TRELOAR ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, ALTON, HANTS. (Adults and Children—320 beds). For Adults' and Children's Wards. Forty-four hour week.

ROMSEY HOSPITAL, ROMSEY, HANTS. (28 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., for general duties.

ROYAL NATIONAL HOSPITAL, VENTNOR, I.W. (52 beds). S.R.N. and/or B.T.A. Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL SOUTH HANTS HOSPITAL, FANSHAWE STREET, SOUTHAMPTON (278 beds). For wards and departments. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL, SHELLEY ROAD, BOURNEMOUTH (352 beds). Resident or non-resident. Day or night duty for Theatres and General Wards.

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL (Newbridge Branch—120 beds). S.R.N. for day or night duty. Pupil Nurse Training School. Excellent experience in nursing elderly sick patients. Pleasant surroundings, within easy reach of city centre and good train service to London.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Continued

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (629 beds). Staff Nurses, S.R.N.: vacancies in Theatres. Also one S.R.N., R.S.C.N., for Children's Medical Ward (29 beds) (Odstock Branch). Also full-time Staff Nurses for vacancies in Dermatological Ward and Casualty Department. Also S.R.N. with diploma of the Ophthalmic Nursing Board, to work in modern Ophthalmic Department—excellent experience in Theatre, O.P. Clinic and ward work. Resident or non-resident posts.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

ROYAL NATIONAL HOSPITAL, VENTNOR, I.W. (52 beds). S.R.N. and/or B.T.A. Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

NURSERY NURSES

ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL, SHELLEY ROAD, BOURNEMOUTH (352 beds). For Midwifery Department.

DISTRICT MIDWIFERY SUPERINTENDENT

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (629 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Preferably with M.T.D. Part II School. Able to drive car.

DEPARTMENTAL MIDWIFERY SISTER

DORSET COUNTY HOSPITAL, DORCHESTER (109 beds). Part II Midwifery School of 21 beds. Category B. S.R.N., S.C.M., and preferably M.T.D. Separate modern unit, pleasantly situated. Vacancy occurs mid-June, but applications immediately to Matron.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

ANDOVER WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, ANDOVER, HANTS. (35 beds). For modern Maternity Ward of 11 beds. Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

ANDOVER WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, ANDOVER, HANTS. (35 beds). For modern Maternity Ward of 11 beds. Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

DORSET COUNTY HOSPITAL, DORCHESTER. Part II Midwifery School of 21 beds. S.C.M. Whole or part-time duties. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL, SHELLEY ROAD, BOURNEMOUTH (352 beds).

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (629 beds). (Odstock Branch.) Part II School. S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

WESTMINSTER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, SHAFTESBURY (General—20, Maternity—10 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Full-time day duty. Resident or non-resident.

YEATMAN HOSPITAL, SHERBORNE (60 beds). S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (629 beds). Part II Midwifery School. Vacancies occur February, May, August, November each year.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

DOUGLAS HOUSE HOSPITAL, WEST SOUTHBOURNE, BOURNEMOUTH (58 beds). Two required, either S.E.A.N.s or Nursing Auxiliaries, for six months holiday relief.

LORD MAYOR TRELOAR ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, ALTON, HANTS. (Adults and Children—320 beds). Interesting work. Comfortable accommodation. Forty-four hour week. Frequent trains to London and coast. Resident or non-resident.

NORTH ALLINGTON HOSPITAL, BRIDPORT (Chest—22 beds).

ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL, SHELLEY ROAD, BOURNEMOUTH (352 beds). For General and Maternity Wards.

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (629 beds). Vacancies in Midwifery and General Wards.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

DAMERS HOSPITAL, DORCHESTER (125 beds). Residence optional.

DOUGLAS HOUSE HOSPITAL, WEST SOUTHBOURNE, BOURNEMOUTH (58 beds). Two required, S.E.A.N.s or Nursing Auxiliaries, for six months holiday relief.

LORD MAYOR TRELOAR ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, ALTON, HANTS. (Adults and Children—320 beds). Interesting work. Comfortable accommodation. Forty-four hour week. Frequent trains to London and coast. Resident or non-resident.

NORTH ALLINGTON HOSPITAL, BRIDPORT (Chest—22 beds).

STUDENT NURSES

DORSET COUNTY HOSPITAL, DORCHESTER. General Training School. Hospital forms part of Group School. Required for schools commencing 1st June and 1st October. Group training with Weymouth and District Hospitals. A few vacancies exist for male students.

POOLE GENERAL HOSPITAL, DORSET. Vacancies occur for female Student Nurses for S.R.N. training; minimum entry age—18 years. Well-equipped training school, overlooking Poole Park and Harbour. Study day system in force. Preliminary Training Schools commence January, April, July and October each year. Illustrated brochure and further particulars from the Matron.

ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL, SHELLEY ROAD, BOSCOMBE, BOURNEMOUTH. Applications are invited from well-educated young women between 18 and 35 years. Preliminary Training Schools commence March, May, September and December each year. Block system of training.

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (629 beds). Complete Training School for men and women with G.C.E. between 18 and 35 years. Excellent experience in pleasant surroundings. Programme of training begins in January, April, July and October each year.

WHITECROFT HOSPITAL, NEWPORT, I.W. Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (629 beds). G.C.E. not essential. There are vacancies for women over 18 years of age. Two-year course of instruction in bed-side nursing, beginning with six weeks in Preliminary Training School.

WESSEX REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL, MILTON, PORTSMOUTH

TRAINING COURSE IN CHILD AND FAMILY PSYCHIATRY

Applications for this twelve months' full-time course are invited from candidates holding a certificate in mental nursing. General, or paediatric training, or both, would be an advantage.

The course seeks to prepare interested staff for responsible work in the field of juvenile psychiatry. St. James's Hospital has a well established regional children's centre, including two in-patient units (35 beds). In addition, there is an extensive community orientated out-patient service with provision for day treatment. Members of the Department of Child Psychiatry of the hospital will participate in the training.

Duration: one calendar year, starting in January or July.

Further enquiries from Matron, who will be pleased to give details about the proposed curriculum and other facilities.

ASSISTANT MATRON

ST. ANN'S HOSPITAL, CANFORD CLIFFS, BOURNEMOUTH, HANTS. (Psychiatric—67 beds). R.M.N., but preference will be given to double trained applicants. The post is non-resident at present, but residential accommodation may be available at a later date. The hospital is situated in delightful surroundings on the Bournemouth Coast. Detailed applications to the Group Secretary, Herrison Hospital Management Committee, Dorchester, Dorset, as soon as possible.

WARD SISTERS

COLDEAST HOSPITAL, SARISBURY GREEN, Nr. SOUTHAMPTON (Psychiatric—570 beds). Qualified in psychiatric nursing, preferably holding R.N.M.S. Certificate. Full or part-time.

ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL, MILTON, PORTSMOUTH. Two Ward Sisters. Candidates must be Registered Mental Nurses and preferably in possession of the General Nursing qualification. Experience in ward administration desirable. This hospital, which is within a few minutes of Southsea front, has 720 beds for female patients, and is a progressive training school. Non-resident.

SANDY POINT HOSPITAL, HAYLING ISLAND, HANTS. (Psychiatric—62 beds). Qualified in psychiatric nursing, preferably holding R.N.M.S. Certificate. Full or part-time.

WHITECROFT HOSPITAL, NEWPORT, I.W. Two required. R.M.N. Resident or non-resident.

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

COLDEAST HOSPITAL, SARISBURY GREEN, Nr. SOUTHAMPTON (Psychiatric—570 beds). Qualified in psychiatric nursing, preferably holding R.N.M.S. Certificate. Full or part-time.

SANDY POINT HOSPITAL, HAYLING ISLAND, HANTS. (Psychiatric—62 beds). Qualified in psychiatric nursing, preferably holding R.N.M.S. Certificate. Full or part-time.

WHITECROFT HOSPITAL, NEWPORT, I.W. Two required. R.M.N. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

COLDEAST HOSPITAL, SARISBURY GREEN, Nr. SOUTHAMPTON (Psychiatric—570 beds). Qualified in psychiatric nursing, preferably holding R.N.M.S. Certificate. Full or part-time.

SANDY POINT HOSPITAL, HAYLING ISLAND, HANTS. (Psychiatric—62 beds). Qualified in psychiatric nursing, preferably holding R.N.M.S. Certificate. Full or part-time.

STAFF NURSES

ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL, MILTON, PORTSMOUTH. Three full-time vacancies. R.M.N. and preferably S.R.N.

WHITECROFT HOSPITAL, NEWPORT, I.W. Two required. R.M.N. Resident or non-resident. (17)

VICTORIA HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD, NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

(312 beds, mainly chronic sick)

Applications are invited for the post of **Second Assistant Matron.**

The hospital is a Training School for State Enrolled Assistant Nurses, and wards and departments have recently been modernised.

Whitley Council salary and conditions (salary scale £814 to £940 per annum).

Applications, stating age, qualifications, experience, together with three names for reference, to be forwarded to the Group Secretary, Mansfield Hospital Management Committee, Crow Hill Drive, Mansfield, to be received as soon as possible. (2664)

STANDISH HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

(Chest and Orthopaedic—270 beds)

Applications are invited from suitably qualified nurses for the post of **Assistant Matron.** The successful candidate will be required to act as deputy to the Matron of the hospital which is an Associated General Training School and Training School for the British Tuberculosis Association.

The hospital is situated in beautiful country surroundings and good residential accommodation is available.

Applications, giving full details of training and experience, together with the names of two referees, to be sent to the Matron as soon as possible.

A. BRINSFORD,
Secretary.
(2963)

CHARING CROSS GROUP OF HOSPITALS
KINGSBURY MATERNITY HOSPITAL
HONEYPOT LANE, N.W.9

Part I Midwifery Training School
(56 beds)

Applications are invited for the post of

ASSISTANT MATRON

at the above hospital. Qualifications: S.R.N., S.C.M., M.T.D. Salary and conditions in accordance with Whitley Council.

Applications, giving details of qualifications and experience, etc., together with the names of two referees, to be made to the Matron at Kingsbury Maternity Hospital by 12th May. (2742)

DURHAM COUNTY COUNCIL

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Deputy Matron. Resident post at Smelt House, Howden-le-Wear, a mother and baby home. Applicants should either be a State Registered Nurse, a State Enrolled Assistant Nurse, or a trained Nursery Nurse. Salary will be in accordance with qualifications held, subject to a deduction for board, lodging and laundry. Forms and further particulars from the County Medical Officer, Shire Hall, Durham.

District Nurse required for Whickham district. Must be State Registered. Particulars and application forms, which should be returned within 14 days of receipt, from the County Medical Officer, Shire Hall, Durham.

Personally canvassing the members of the Council is prohibited, and the Council may declare any candidate infringing this rule to be disqualified for appointment.

J. K. HOPE,
Clerk of the County Council.
(2894)

TAUNTON AND SOMERSET HOSPITAL

MATERNITY UNIT

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Assistant Matron/Tutor** to act as deputy to Matron of the above unit.

It is the **Area Maternity Unit** for South Somerset and has:

50 beds in the Major Unit;
21 cots in the Special Care Baby Unit; and
10 beds in the General Practitioner Maternity Home.

It is a Part II Midwifery Training School and plans are being made for Obstetric Nurse Training.

Applicants are required to hold the Midwife Teacher's Diploma, and previous administrative experience is desirable, but not essential. Salary in accordance with Whitley Council agreements.

Applications, stating age, full details of qualifications and experience, together with the names of two referees, should be addressed to the Group Secretary, Musgrove Park Hospital, Taunton. (2985)

Bath Hospital Management Committee
ST. MARTIN'S HOSPITAL, BATH

(635 beds)

Applications are invited for the post of **Deputy Matron** to this partly acute general hospital with a geriatric unit and large midwifery department. The hospital is an approved Assistant Nurse Training School with its own Preliminary Training School. Previous experience in the nursing administration of a large general hospital is essential and possession of the Administrative Certificate would be an advantage. The post is vacant due to the retirement of the present holder.

Applications, giving age, experience and qualifications, together with the names and addresses of three referees, to the Group Secretary, Bath Hospital Management Committee, Manor Hospital, Combe Park, Bath, as soon as possible. Further details can be obtained direct from the Matron. (2893)

Stepney Group Hospital Management Committee
MILE END HOSPITAL
BANCROFT ROAD, LONDON, E.1

(476 beds)

Applications are invited for the post of **First Assistant Matron,** to act as deputy to the Matron. Administrative experience essential. The hospital is a complete training school for Student Nurses and a Part I Midwifery Training School. Whitley Council salary scale and conditions of service.

Applications, stating age, qualifications, details of training and experience, together with the names of three referees, to be sent to the Group Secretary at the above address by 27th May, 1961. (2879)

CHASEFIELD HOME, 888 FISHPONDS ROAD, BRISTOL

APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY MATRON

Applications invited from suitably qualified persons for appointment as **Deputy Matron** (resident) at this psychiatric hospital accommodating 31 female mentally sub-normal patients.

Salary £814 rising to £940 per annum, less £235 for board, lodging and laundry. National Health Service superannuation scheme.

Person appointed will be considered for further promotion in a few years' time.

Applications, with details of age, qualifications and experience, and names and addresses of three referees, to Group Secretary, Hortham-Brentry H.M.C., Brentry Hospital, Westbury-on-Trym, Bristol. (2911)

Leicester No. 2 Hospital Management Committee
CATMOSE VALE HOSPITAL, OAKHAM

(Geriatric—53 beds; Sub-normal—13)

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** (S.R.N.). Suitable for experienced Ward Sister seeking promotion. The hospital participates in the training of Enrolled Assistant Nurses. Salary £788-£914, less £230 p.a. if resident.

Applications, with full details of former posts, qualifications and the names and addresses of two referees, to Group Secretary, Leicester No. 2 Hospital Management Committee, 10 University Road, Leicester. (2878)

MANCHESTER REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the undermentioned appointments, which should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training and experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), to THE MATRON of the appropriate hospital, from whom further details may be obtained if necessary. Salaries in accordance with appropriate National Scales.

LANCASHIRE

TUTORS

Booth Hall Children's Hospital, Charlestown Road, Blackley, Manchester, 9 (364 beds). Sister Tutor, qualified, required immediately for addition to teaching staff which comprises: one Principal, two Tutors and one Clinical Instructor. Resident or non-resident. Sick children's experience an advantage. Training School for R.S.C.N. and comprehensive S.R.N., R.S.C.N. Block system in operation. Complete Paediatric teaching experience offered. Prospective candidates will be welcome to view the department and the hospital on application to Matron.

Preston Royal Infirmary, Preston (General, Acute and Continuation—526 beds). Immediate vacancy for third Tutor in senior school of 160 students. Ophthalmic, E.N.T., gynaecology, urology, obstetrics, neurosurgery experience available. Sister Tutor Diploma or M.T.D. Resident or non-resident.

Park Hospital, Davyhulme (General—420 beds). Qualified Sister Tutor, male or female. First Assistant to Principal Tutor for General Nurse Training School. Residential facilities available for female applicants only.

Royal Infirmary, Blackburn (Acute—262 beds). Immediate vacancy for a Second Tutor in the Teaching Department of the Blackburn Royal Infirmary. Establishment of the Department is Principal Tutor, Second Tutor and Clinical Tutor. Separate Central Preliminary Training School. Modified block system.

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8. General Training School for male and female nurses. Special training schemes in operation with Manchester University and Booth Hall Children's Hospital. Nurse Tutor required, newly created post. Modern and well-equipped Training School. Block system of training in operation. Good experience in the Junior and Senior syllabus.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

Bay View Hospital, Lancaster (Chronic Sick—102 beds).

Salford Royal Hospital, Chapel Street, Salford, 3 (Acute General—257 beds). General Nurse Training School. Resident or non-resident. The post offers excellent experience in all branches of administration.

NIGHT SISTER IN SOLE CHARGE

Meathop Hospital, Grange-over-Sands. Full-time, required for beginning of June. 25 geriatric beds for women, 16 orthopaedic beds for women and 28 chest and heart beds for men. Flat adjacent to hospital available shortly or accommodation in hospital if desired.

NIGHT SISTERS

Royal Infirmary, Bolton (General Training School for Nurses) (Acute—246 beds). For night duty. One of four Night Sisters.

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute — 600 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. One of five to work under the direction of the Night Superintendent. Off duty three nights per week.

Wythenshawe Hospital, Manchester, 23 (351 beds). For administrative duties, also able to take theatre when required.

Marland Hospital, Bolton Road, Rochdale (Geriatric—100 beds). Part-time for relief duties three nights per week. Resident or non-resident.

Bay View Hospital, Lancaster (Chronic Sick—102 beds). Relief.

Springfield Park Hospital, Bolton Road, Rochdale (40 beds). For small Post-operative Surgical and Orthopaedic Unit. Resident or non-resident. 44 hour week in operation.

Park Lee Hospital, Blackburn (I.D., Pre-convalescent — 126 beds). Relief—six nights per fortnight. Alternate weekends off. Average weekly hours 33.

HOME SISTER

Bay View Hospital, Lancaster (Chronic Sick—102 beds).

THEATRE SUPERINTENDENTS

Victoria Hospital, Burnley (Acute—174 beds). Applicants must have had orthopaedic experience. The post offers good all-round experience in a busy twin theatre suite.

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshawe, Manchester, 23 (T.B., Thoracic and Cardiac Surgery — 390 beds). Vacancy occurs owing to retirement. Busy Thoracic and Cardiac Unit. Open heart surgery developing.

THEATRE SISTERS

Royal Infirmary, Bolton (General Training School for Nurses) (Acute—246 beds). Resident or non-resident for twin theatre unit in acute general hospital.

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8. Resident or non-resident, for unit with five theatres and plaster theatre, including twin operating theatre suite. Eight hour shift system in operation.

SISTERS-IN-CHARGE

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute — 600 beds). For Children's Surgical and Ear, Nose and Throat Ward, 28 beds. S.R.N., R.S.C.N. Resident or non-resident. 44 hour week.

Pemberton Hospital, Billinge Road, Pemberton, Wigan (Geriatric—28 beds). Resident.

WARD SISTERS

Bay View Hospital, Lancaster (Chronic Sick—102 beds).

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan (Centre for Hip Surgery. Orthopaedic Surgery—140 adults, 30 children; Chest Unit—100 adults, 20 children; Renal—30 adults). For Orthopaedic Ward (adult females).

Booth Hall Children's Hospital, Charlestown Road, Blackley, Manchester, 9 (364 beds). (a) For Regional Burns Unit. S.R.N., R.S.C.N. or S.R.N., with some experience of children's nursing. Valuable experience offered. (b) For department of Neurosurgery and General Wards. S.R.N. or R.S.C.N.

Hulton Hospital, Hulton Lane, Bolton (Partly Acute—131 beds). For Cubicled Ward catering for acute rheumatism and infectious diseases.

Astley Hospital, Astley, Tyldesley, Nr. Manchester (General — 146 beds). For ward to be opened shortly for elderly sick patients.

WARD SISTERS—Contd.

Lake View Children's Hospital, Smithy Bridge, Littleborough (32 beds). Resident. Must be S.R.N. This hospital will, in the near future, be changing its role to the nursing of older patients of the geriatric type. 44 hour week in operation.

Ladywell Hospital, Salford, 5 (Geriatrics, T.B., I.D., V.D.—351 beds). For Female T.B. Ward with S.R.N. and B.T.A. Certificate, or willing to take B.T.A. Certificate.

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute — 600 beds). (a) Junior S.R.N. for Gynaecological Ward of 28 beds. Good experience offered. Resident or non-resident. 44 hour week. (b) Junior S.R.N. for Children's Medical Ward of 28 beds. Good experience offered. Resident or non-resident. 44 hour week.

Heath Charnock Hospital, Chorley (Chronic Sick—70 beds, T.B.—39 beds). Two for Geriatric Ward of 23 beds. Resident or non-resident.

Rochdale Children's Hospital, Bamford, Rochdale (50 beds). For day duty. Must be S.R.N. Experience in orthopaedic nursing an advantage, but not essential.

SISTER

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan (Centre for Hip Surgery). For Private Patient Unit.

MIDWIFERY SUPERINTENDENT

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8. Complete Training School and Part I Midwifery Training School. Maternity—130 beds. Midwifery Teacher's Diploma essential. Vacancy occurs on 1st July, 1961.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute — 600 beds). For modern busy Maternity Unit. Good experience offered. 44 hour week. Resident or non-resident.

Bank Hall Maternity Hospital, Burnley (Maternity—55 beds). Excellent experience in normal and abnormal deliveries. Resident or non-resident.

Queen Victoria Hospital, Morecambe (General—100 beds).

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute — 600 beds). State Registered Nurses, six months' training for Part I Certificate Central Midwives' Board. School commencing 1st August, 1961.

PUPIL MIDWIVES—Contd.

Preston Royal Infirmary, Preston (General, Acute and Continuation—526 beds). Well staffed Midwifery Department of 30 beds, has vacancies for school starting 20th July and 20th October, 1961. Pupils may be resident or non-resident.

Withington Hospital, Manchester, 20 (General Training School for male and female nurses and Part I Midwifery. The hospital is part of the teaching unit for obstetrics and surgery in association with the Manchester University Medical School) (1,072 beds, including 110 Maternity). There are vacancies in the School commencing on 22nd July, 1961, and at three-monthly intervals. The course includes one week's preliminary training prior to commencing six months' course and weekly study periods. Training in gas and air analgesia is available. Fully staffed and well-equipped unit. The 44 hour week includes one day, two half days, one long morning off duty until 1 p.m. and one split duty rota weekly. All lectures and study days are arranged on duty periods. Resident or non-resident.

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8. For Part I Midwifery Training in February, May, August and November each year. The Department is well-equipped.

STAFF NURSES (THEATRE)

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan (Centre for Hip Surgery. Orthopaedic Surgery—140 adults, 30 children; Chest Unit—100 adults, 20 children; Renal Unit—30 adults). S.R.N.

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute — 600 beds). Good experience offered in very busy theatre. 44 hour week. Resident or non-resident.

Wythenshawe Hospital, Manchester, 23 (351 beds). Full-time night duty.

NIGHT STAFF NURSES

Wythenshawe Hospital, Manchester, 23 (351 beds). Full-time night duty — general wards.

Royal Infirmary, Bolton (General Training School for Nurses) (Acute — 246 beds). For Casualty Department.

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan (Centre for Hip Surgery. Orthopaedic Surgery—140 adults, 30 children; Chest Unit—100 adults, 20 children; Renal Unit—30 adults). S.R.N. Full-time or three nights per week.

STAFF NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)

Bay View Hospital, Lancaster (Chronic Sick—102 beds).

Springfield Park Hospital, Bolton Road, Rochdale. Resident or non-resident. 44 hour week in operation.

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute — 600 beds). For day and night duty on Acute Wards. 44 hour week. Resident or non-resident.

Chorley and District Hospital, Chorley (General and Maternity — 85 beds). S.R.N., full-time.

Wythenshawe Hospital, Manchester, 23 (351 beds). Full-time, day and night duty. General and Surgical Wards.

Victoria Hospital, Burnley (Acute—174 beds). For ophthalmic training.

Hartley Hospital, Colne. (General—43 beds). Day or night duty.

Marsden Hospital, Burnley (Chest Diseases, Acute Medical and Paediatric—78 beds). Day or night duty.

Chadderton Hospital, Racefield, Royton, Nr. Oldham (Male Tuberculosis — 40 beds). Resident or non-resident. 44 hour week.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

St. Luke's Clinic, Duke Street, Manchester, 3. Previous experience in dealing with venereal disease patients desirable, but not essential. No weekend work. Applications to the Hospital Secretary, Ladywell Hospital, Salford, 6.

CLITHEROE HOSPITAL, CLITHEROE, LANCS.

(Geriatrics—101 beds)

Opening of new Female Geriatric Ward of 15 beds

A **Night Sister's** post will soon become vacant. Clitheroe Hospital is an active geriatric hospital situated in the Ribble Valley. It is within easy reach of Manchester and Lancashire coast resorts.

OLDHAM AND DISTRICT GENERAL HOSPITAL ROCHDALE ROAD, OLDHAM, LANCS.

(Mainly General—965 beds)

Premature Baby and Neo-Natal Unit

The above unit, which has recently opened in this hospital, provides accommodation for premature and sick babies. Applications are invited from the following:

(a) SISTERS.
(b) STAFF NURSES.
(c) NURSERY NURSES.

The appointments may be either resident or non-resident. Hours of duty: 88 per fortnight. A post-graduate course in premature baby nursing is being arranged, for which applications are invited from State Registered Nurses, State Certified Midwives and Registered Sick Children's Nurses. The course will be of six months' duration, at the conclusion of which a certificate will be issued.

Applications should be addressed to the Superintendent Midwife.

MANCHESTER REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

LANCASHIRE—Contd.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Hulton Hospital, Hulton Lane, Bolton (Partly Acute—131 beds).

Peel Hall Hospital, Little Hulton, Nr. Walkden, Manchester (Male Pulmonary T.B.—57 beds). S.R.N.

POST-GRADUATE NURSES

South Hall Children's Hospital, Charlestown Road, Blackley, Manchester, 9 (364 beds). State Registration in the Nursing of Sick Children, period 13 months. Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses who have received two months' paediatric experience during training. First course commences September, 1961.

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute — 600 beds). State Registered Nurses required for course in the care of premature babies. Certificate given at the end of six months.

Wythenshawe Hospital, Manchester, 23 (351 beds). (a) Applications invited from State Registered Nurses and State Enrolled Assistant Nurses, male and female, six months' course in plastic surgery. Certificate given on completion: apply to Matron for brochure and other information. (b) Six months' theatre course for trained Nurses, excellent experience can be gained in all branches of surgery. Specialising in plastic surgery.

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8. State Registered Nurses with an interest in orthopaedic work may apply for one year post-graduate training. Salary and grade of Staff Nurse, resident or non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan (Centre for Hip Surgery. Orthopaedic Surgery—140 adults, 30 children: Chest Unit—100 adults, 20 children: Renal Unit—30 adults). (a) For theatre duty. (b) For night duty full-time or three nights per week.

Astley Hospital, Astley, Tyldesley, Nr. Manchester (General—146 beds).

Wythenshawe Hospital, Manchester, 23 (351 beds). Full and part-time required —day and night duty.

Rochdale Children's Hospital, Bamford, Rochdale (50 beds). For night duties. 44 hour week in operation.

Marland Hospital, Bolton Road, Rochdale (Geriatric — 100 beds). 44 hour week in operation.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Chorley and District Hospital, Chorley (General and Maternity—85 beds). For night duty—Maternity Ward.

Sharoe Green Hospital, Preston (General and Maternity—375 beds).

STUDENT NURSES

Ashton-under-Lyne General Hospital, Ashton-under-Lyne (Mainly Acute — 600 beds). For the Preliminary Training School commencing 4th September, 1961. Age from 18 years onwards.

Withington Hospital, Manchester, 20 (General Training School for male and female nurses and Part I Midwifery. The hospital is part of the teaching unit for obstetrics and surgery in association with the Manchester University Medical School) (1,072 beds, including 110 Maternity). There are vacancies for males and females in the Preliminary Training School in June, 1961, and at three-monthly intervals. Nurses on the Supplementary parts of the Register accepted for two years. Modern Teaching Unit. The 44 hour week includes one day, two half days, one long morning off duty until 1 p.m. and only one split duty rota weekly. Out-door uniform (navy-blue coat and cap) is supplied free of charge to all student nurses.

Oldham Royal Infirmary, Union Street West, Oldham (General — 204 beds). There are vacancies for Student Nurses with a good standard of education. General Training consists of three years, including the period spent in the Preliminary Training School. 44 hour working week is in operation.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Oldham and District General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Geriatric Unit) (965 beds, 327 Geriatric). There are vacancies for Pupil Assistant Nurses in the Preliminary Training School. Young ladies over 18 years of age desirous of becoming State Enrolled Assistant Nurses should write for information to the Matron. 44 hour working week is in operation.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES—Contd.

Wythenshawe Hospital, Manchester, 23 (351 beds). Applications are invited for two years' training course. This applies to young men and women, aged 18 years and over, who wish to nurse but do not necessarily possess General Certificate of Education or wish to become State Registered Nurses. Excellent experience can be gained in all acute branches of surgery, medicine, geriatrics, with general theatre, casualty and out-patients' experience. Forty-four hour working week. Next school commences in June, 1961.

CHESHIRE

NIGHT SISTERS

West Heath Hospital, Congleton (53 beds). Apply Matron, War Memorial Hospital, Congleton.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Linden Grange Maternity Home, Crewe (G.P. Maternity Unit—15 beds). For day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

Aspland Maternity Home, Hyde (Maternity—16 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

Aspland Maternity Home, Hyde (Maternity—16 beds).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)

Mauldeth Home, Stockport (Chronic—83 beds, post-operative—9 beds). Male non-resident, female resident or non-resident.

STUDENT NURSES

Crewe and District Memorial Hospital, Victoria Avenue, Crewe (Recognised by the General Nursing Council as a complete training school for the General Register) (General—110 beds). There are vacancies in the Preliminary Training School for suitably educated young ladies of 18, who wish to train as Nurses. Study day system of nurse tuition. Apply to Matron for brochure.

DERBYSHIRE

DEVONSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL BUXTON

(Rheumatism and Rehabilitation Centre—172 beds, Annexe—75 beds)

Staff Nurses and **Enrolled Assistant Nurses** for wards and night duty, full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

OFFERTON HOUSE MARPLE ROAD STOCKPORT, CHESHIRE

(Psychiatric Hospital for mental sub-normal—140 beds).

Charge Nurse. Five-day, 44 hour week, with alternate weekends off.

OLDHAM AND DISTRICT GENERAL HOSPITAL ROCHDALE ROAD OLDHAM, LANCS. (Psychiatric Unit)

(965 beds, 120 female psychiatric)

Ward Sister. Resident or non-resident. Forty-four hour week.

BURNLEY GENERAL HOSPITAL BURNLEY, LANCS.

(General—647 beds)

Staff Nurses (female) for Acute Psychiatric Unit. Department modernised. Active modern treatments used. Psychiatric training desirable, but general trained nurses will also be considered.

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for **Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses** and **Pupil Midwives** at Training Hospitals (including Mental Hospitals and Mental Deficiency Institutions) in all parts of the Region, which comprises parts of Lancashire, Cheshire, Derbyshire and Westmorland. Applicants who wish to enter training should write to the Matron of the hospital of their choice. A list of hospitals in the region which are recognised Training Schools for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses and Pupil Midwives will be sent on application to the Nursing Officer, Manchester Regional Hospital Board, Cheetwood Road, Manchester, 8. (70)

RUBERY HILL HOSPITAL

(540 beds)

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT MATRON

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron,** male or female. Candidates must be S.R.N., R.M.N. Applicants may be resident or non-resident. A modern flat is available. Candidates may visit the hospital by appointment. Detailed applications giving age, experience, qualifications, should be submitted to the Group Secretary, Hollymoor Hospital, Northfield, Birmingham, 31. Names and addresses of three referees must be included. (2960)

LEICESTER GENERAL HOSPITAL GWENDOLEN ROAD, LEICESTER

First Assistant Matron required to act as Deputy to Matron. Applicants should be S.R.N., S.C.M., and the possession of an administrative certificate would be an advantage. The hospital is recognised as a complete training school for general nursing. Salary on scale £845 to £971.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience and naming two referees, to Group Secretary, Leicester No. 1 Hospital Management Committee, The Leicester Royal Infirmary. (2906)

PINEWOOD HOSPITAL NINE MILE RIDE, WOKINGHAM, BERKS.

(210 beds for the treatment of Chest Diseases)

Applications are invited for the post of **Resident Senior Assistant Matron.** Post vacant 1st August, due to retirement. Applicants should have had previous administrative experience. Hospital is an approved Associated Training School and S.T.A. Training School. Salary scale £814-£940.

Applications, stating age, experience and qualifications, with two referees, to Secretary, Windsor H.M.C., Kipling Memorial Building, Alma Road, Windsor, by 18th May. (2928)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF BLACKBURN

Applications invited from suitably qualified persons for the post of **Deputy Matron** (non-resident) in the Corporation Day Nursery Service. Salary according to Whitley Council for the Health Services scales.

Applications, in writing, with names and addresses of two referees, to the Medical Officer of Health, Victoria Street, Blackburn.

FRANK SQUIRES,
Town Clerk.
(2760)

CIRENCESTER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, GLOS.

(General—68 beds)

Assistant Matron required for this busy hospital which is a State Enrolled Assistant Nurse Training School. Salary scale £788-£914 p.a., less £230 emoluments. A self-contained flat available a few minutes' walk from the hospital. Duties include deputising for Matron.

Apply immediately to Group Secretary, Cirencester Memorial Hospital. (2822)

ROYAL HOSPITAL AND HOME FOR INCURABLES WEST HILL, LONDON, S.W.15

Applications invited for the post of **Assistant Matron.** 254 beds. Voluntary hospital. Training School for Assistant Nurses. Whitley salary and conditions, plus one extra week's holiday annually after one year. F.S.S.N. and H.O. Superannuation Scheme (State scheme readily transferable). Interesting and active post.

Application form with full particulars from the Secretary. (2734)

PLEASE MENTION "NURSING TIMES" WHEN ANSWERING ITS ADVERTISEMENTS

SOUTH WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees or copies of two recent testimonials, to THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL, from whom also further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions are in accordance with the appropriate national scales.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE

To those who live within the boundaries of Gloucestershire, its beautiful countryside, the Cotswolds, the Malverns and the Forest of Dean, to name but a few, is a never-ending source of joy and pleasure. The tiny Cotswold towns and villages possess great charm and are unique in their architecture, while most of the beauty spots are easily reached by public transport. The county town of Gloucester is a busy, industrial city, whilst nine miles away lies the educational and social centre of Cheltenham. For the sports lover there is much at Cheltenham to please—the race meetings, cricket Festival and tennis championships being but a small proportion of the activities enjoyed.

Gloucestershire is well served with hospitals which provide training for every kind of nursing, centres of hospital organisations being Gloucester itself, Cheltenham, Stroud and the Forest of Dean.

COTSWOLD HOSPITAL, TETBURY, GLOS.

An opportunity to serve the aged sick.

S.R.N., resident or non-resident, for female long-stay patients. Applications to Matron, Stroud General Hospital, Stroud, Glos.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL, GLOUCESTER

The hospitals consist of two branches, The Gloucestershire Royal Infirmary and the City General Hospital, with a total of 500 beds. Both are situated near the City Centre and within easy reach of the Cotswolds, the Forest of Dean and the Wye Valley. The hospital, which is the centre hospital of the group and also covers the northern part of the County, provides beds for the majority of specialties, including **General Medicine; General Surgery; Ear, Nose and Throat; Dental; Ophthalmology; Orthopaedic; Geriatrics; Chest Investigation; Dermatology; Paediatrics; and Gynaecology.** There is also an extensive Out-patients' Department.

SECOND NIGHT SISTER. Southgate Street Branch.

SECOND NIGHT SISTER. Great Western Road Branch.

RELIEF SISTERS FOR HOLIDAYS. Two required. Permanent staff.

ASSISTANT SISTER for Ophthalmic Department. Experience in ward, theatre and out-patients. Must hold recognised ophthalmic certificate. Suitable post for someone for first Sister's appointment.

STAFF NURSE for night duty in Theatre and Casualty Department. Forty-four hour week.

STAFF NURSE for Dermatological Ward. Forty-four hour week.

STAFF NURSE for night duty on Gynaecological Ward. Forty-four hour week.

There are vacancies for **STUDENT NURSES** at the above hospital. Twelve weeks spent in the Training School. Modified block system of training established.

OVER HOSPITAL, OVER, NR. GLOUCESTER

The hospital is situated on the outskirts of Gloucester Town, in a pleasant position overlooking the River Severn. Good transport services.

STAFF NURSE, full-time, required for Chronic Sick Elderly Patients' Ward of 20 beds—male and female. Resident or non-resident.

Forest of Dean Enrolled Nurse Training School. PUPIL NURSES for training for State Enrolment. Two-year course in practical nursing. Age 18-45. Apply Matron, Over Hospital.

ST. PAUL'S HOSPITAL, SWINDON ROAD, CHELTENHAM (86 beds)

STAFF NURSES for Women's Surgical Ward. Forty-four hour week.

STROUD GENERAL HOSPITAL, STROUD, GLOS.

Stroud is situated in the beautiful Cotswolds, is a good shopping centre, within easy reach of Gloucester and Cheltenham, and on the main railway line to Paddington. This specialist hospital offers wide experience and provides a two-year course of practical nursing to those seeking State Enrolment as Assistant Nurses.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES. Vacancies for May Training School.

TETBURY AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, TETBURY, GLOS.

A delightful cottage hospital beautifully situated on the edge of the town.

SISTER. Resident or non-resident. Applications to Sister-in-Charge.

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

CONEY HILL HOSPITAL, GLOUCESTER (473 male and 243 female beds—psychiatric)

WARD SISTERS.

STAFF NURSES. Female.

STUDENT NURSES. Male and female.

NURSING ASSISTANTS. Female.

Resident or non-resident. At present only single accommodation available.

HORTON ROAD HOSPITAL, GLOUCESTER (252 male and 320 female beds—psychiatric)

WARD SISTERS.

DEPUTY SISTERS.

STAFF NURSES. Male.

STUDENT NURSES. Male and female.

Resident or non-resident. At present only single accommodation available.

There are two psychiatric hospitals in the group (Coney Hill—473 male and 243 female patients; Horton Road—252 male and 320 female patients) together with "half-way" houses and a day hospital. Modern methods of treatment are practised and the hospitals are organised on "open-door" lines. Complete training schools for male and female students in psychiatric nursing, including 18 months' post-graduate training for the 1957 revised syllabus. A full programme of patients' entertainments is undertaken. Busy occupational therapy and patients' factory schemes. The hospitals are conveniently situated to Gloucester and Cheltenham and within easy access of the Cotswolds and Severn Vale. Staff amenities include a sports and social club.

The following Nursing Staff Vacancies also exist in the SOUTH WESTERN REGION

ROYAL UNITED, MANOR AND FORBES FRASER HOSPITALS COMBE PARK, BATH

(544 beds)

REGISTERED NURSE TUTOR

Applications are invited for the post of Sister Tutor, fully qualified, for increased establishment in the Nurse Training School. This post offers good experience in the Preliminary Training School as well as in the Teaching Department. The study day system of training is in operation.

Applications, with names of three referees, to Matron.

ASSISTANT MATRON

WINFORD ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, Nr. BRISTOL

(225 beds). Orthopaedic experience preferred, but not essential. Excellent opportunity for someone interested in administration prior to taking (or having just taken) an administrative course. Applications to be received by Wednesday, 10th May, 1961.

MOUNT GOLD HOSPITAL, PLYMOUTH

Applications are invited from suitably qualified nurses for the post of **Assistant Matron,** to act as deputy to the Matron. Salary £788-£914; residence charges, £230.

The hospital, of 173 beds, is a complete training school for the Orthopaedic Certificate and participates in an affiliated scheme for general training. It is pleasantly situated within easy reach of the City Centre and surrounding countryside.

Applications immediately, with names of two referees, to Group Secretary, Plymouth and District H.M.C., 7 Nelson Gardens, Stoke, Plymouth.

REGISTERED NURSE TUTORS

GLENSIDE HOSPITAL, STAPLETON, BRISTOL

(1,600 beds). Qualified Tutor, male or female, to work under Principal Tutor. School accepted by G.N.C. for new syllabus. Unfurnished house available at reasonable rental. Board residence can be provided for single officer if required.

ROYAL CORNWALL INFIRMARY AND CAMBORNE-REDRUTH HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING

(317 beds). S.R.N., S.T.D. New, modern, well-equipped Teaching Department. Experience in all types of nurse education. Resident or non-resident.

ST. MARTIN'S HOSPITAL, MIDFORD ROAD, BATH

(635 beds). Applications are invited for a new appointment of **Clinical Sister Tutor** to the hospital, which is a Training School for Assistant Nurses. Applications will be considered from experienced Ward Sisters who are interested in the practical training of Assistant Nurses and who would be prepared, during the first year of their appointment, to undertake a Clinical Tutor's Course of six months' duration at an appropriate centre. Detailed applications, with the names of three referees, to the Group Secretary, Bath Hospital Management Committee, Manor Hospital, Combe Park, Bath.

WESTON-SUPER-MARE GENERAL HOSPITAL

(104 beds). General Training School for Nurses. Assistant Nurse Tutor. Small General Training School. Suitable experience available for those wishing to take Registered Nurse Tutor Course. Resident or non-resident. Vacancy at end of May.

WINFORD ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, Nr. BRISTOL

(225 beds). Sister Tutor (qualified) to train students for Preliminary State Examination and for Final Orthopaedic Certificate.

SOUTH WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

SOUTHMEAD GENERAL AND MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BRISTOL
(570 beds)

Fully-trained **Sister Tutor** required in the Nurse Training School of the above hospital. Required for increased establishment. Please apply, with full particulars, to the Matron, who will be pleased to supply further details of this post.

Sister required for Paediatric Ward.

Staff Nurses required for General Theatres. Shift system of duties in operation.

Applications to Matron.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

LYME REGIS HOSPITAL, DORSET
(General—24 beds). To act as Deputy to the Matron. S.R.N. Theatre and casualty experience. This is a busy general practitioner hospital delightfully situated in this unique and well-known coastal resort. Resident or non-resident. A comfortable and attractive bed-sitting room, leading into garden, and with sea views, is available.

ROYAL DEVON AND EXETER HOSPITAL, EXETER
(302 beds). For busy Out-paticnt Department. Busy department. Interesting work.

HOME SISTERS

TENDY CHEST HOSPITAL, CAMBORNE
(120 beds). New, modern nurses' home (64 bedrooms). Duties include relieving Assistant Matron. The post offers good administrative experience.

TORBAY HOSPITAL, TORQUAY, S. DEVON
(194 beds). S.R.N. Responsible for administration of the nurses' home accommodating approximately 60 residents, all matters relating to nurses' health, including health records, and for some administrative duties connected with the hospital. Candidates should show a sympathetic interest in the Student Nurses' social activities.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

FALMOUTH AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, FALMOUTH
Modern hospital with Training School for State Enrolled Nurses. Accommodation in newly acquired sisters' home. Good administrative experience. Departmental allowance.

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL, COMBE PARK, BATH
(457 beds). Required from May onwards, to relieve administrative staff holidays in the Royal United Hospital, Forbes Fraser and Manor Hospitals. Good experience gained.

SOUTH DEVON AND EAST CORNWALL HOSPITAL, PLYMOUTH
FREEDOM FIELDS

Night Sister. S.R.N.

Staff Nurse, S.R.N., for busy Casualty Department.

Apply, in both cases, with full particulars, to the Matron, North Friary, Greenbank Terrace, Plymouth.

NIGHT SISTERS

CHIPPENHAM HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CHIPPENHAM
(General—32 beds). S.R.N. Four nights weekly. Resident or non-resident.

ILEX LODGE HOSPITAL, AXBRIDGE, SOMERSET
(Geriatric Unit—76 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

LAMELLION HOSPITAL, LISKEARD, CORNWALL
(Chronic Sick—87 beds and Part III—74 beds). Senior Night Sister. This hospital is undergoing extensive modernisation and is within reach of Plymouth, the South Cornwall Coast and moors.

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL, COMBE PARK, BATH
(457 beds). One of three. Good experience to be gained in acute surgical and medical work. Resident or non-resident.

FRENCHAY HOSPITAL, BRISTOL
DEPARTMENT OF PLASTIC SURGERY

A new Burns Unit of 22 beds to serve the S.W. Region is to be opened mid-1961.

Applications invited for the post of **Sister-in-Charge.**

DEPARTMENT OF THORACIC SURGERY

Theatre Superintendent (Departmental Sister grade) required for Twin Theatre Suite, serving department of 100 beds.

Apply to Matron.

THEATRE SISTERS

PAULTON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, PAULTON, BRISTOL
(Acute—44 beds, and Maternity—12 beds). Theatre and Out-patients' Sister. Resident or non-resident.

WESTON-SUPER-MARE GENERAL HOSPITAL
(104 beds). General Training School for Nurses. For Operating Theatre (Twin Theatre Suites). S.R.N. All general surgery. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL, BARNSTAPLE
Ward Sister for Male Geriatric Ward (25 beds). Post vacant owing to retirement of present holder on 1st June, 1961.

BOVEY TRACEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, BOVEY TRACEY, DEVON
(18 beds). Ward Sister. S.R.N., S.C.M. (or S.C.M., Part I). Small general hospital, including four maternity beds.

CHIPPENHAM HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CHIPPENHAM
(General—32 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N., for ward of 20 beds—chiefly surgical. Resident or non-resident.

HAM GREEN HOSPITAL, PILL, Nr. BRISTOL
(507 beds). Second Ward Sisters for Medical Wards. Also two Sisters for night duty—required for the Respiratory Failure Unit.

SISTERS—Contd.

KING'S ASH HOSPITAL, PAIGNTON, S. DEVON
(24 beds). Sister in Charge. S.R.N. Resident. For forms of application and further particulars apply to the Matron, Paignton and District Hospital, Paignton, S. Devon.

MALMESBURY HOSPITAL, MALMESBURY
(General—20 beds; Maternity—5 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident or modern house on service licence.

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY, BARNSTAPLE
Ward Sister for Male General Surgical Ward (25 beds). Post vacant June, 1961, owing to retirement of present holder.

OKEHAMPTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, OKEHAMPTON, DEVON
(17 beds). Ward Sister. S.R.N., S.C.M. (or S.C.M., Part I). Small general hospital, including four maternity beds.

ST. ALDHELM'S HOSPITAL, GREEN LANE, FROME, SOMERSET
(Chronic Sick—42 beds). Ward Sister to act for Matron in her absence. Departmental allowance payable. Resident or non-resident. This hospital is associated with Frome Victoria Hospital as a Training School for Assistant Nurses.

SAMBOURNE HOSPITAL, WARMINSTER, WILTS.
(121 beds). Two required. Ward Sister. Resident or non-resident.

SHEPTON MALLET DISTRICT HOSPITAL, SHEPTON MALLET
(Acute—30 beds). Ward Sister. Resident.

TAUNTON AND SOMERSET HOSPITAL, TAUNTON, SOMERSET
(423 beds). Ward Sister for the E.N.T. Unit. This work combines E.N.T. Theatre, Out-patients' Department and Ward Unit for males, females and children. Excellent experience for suitable candidates interested in E.N.T. work.

WELLS AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, WELLS
(Acute—30 beds and Maternity—10 beds). Ward Sister. Resident or non-resident.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

COSSHAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, BRISTOL
(Acute General—86 beds). Relief Sister. Knowledge of theatre work desirable.

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL, COMBE PARK, BATH
(457 beds). Required, from May onwards, for holiday relief duties in wards and departments in the Royal United, Forbes Fraser and Manor Hospitals.

MOUNT GOLD HOSPITAL, PLYMOUTH
(173 beds)

Staff Nurses (male and female) for Ward, Theatre, Plaster Room and Out-patient duties.

Staff Nurses (male and female) for one year Post-registration Course in preparation for Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate. Courses commence in May, September and January.

State Enrolled Assistant Nurses (male and female) for Ward, Theatre, Plaster Room and Out-patient duties.

Resident accommodation available for female staff only.

Applications to Matron, Mount Gold Hospital, Plymouth.

STAFF NURSES (Female)

BATH EYE INFIRMARY, LANSDOWN ROAD, BATH
(30 beds). Required for General Ward duties. Previous ophthalmic experience not essential. Further particulars from Matron, Royal United Hospital, Bath.

BIDEFORD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, BIDEFORD
(52 beds). For Male Medical and Surgical Ward. Also one for Female Medical and Surgical Ward.

BOVEY TRACEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, BOVEY TRACEY, DEVON
(18 beds). Small general hospital.

CHARD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, CHARD, SOMERSET
(53 beds). General practitioner hospital with acute and chronic beds. Unfurnished flat available—suitable couple or two friends.

CLAVERTON DOWN HOSPITAL, CLAVERTON DOWN, BATH
(88 beds). S.R.N. for Convalescent Ward.

COSSHAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, BRISTOL
(Acute General—86 beds). Staff Nurses required: one for night duty and one for Casualty (day duty).

EXETER CITY HOSPITAL, EXETER
(260 beds). For Children's Ward.

FROME VICTORIA HOSPITAL, PARK ROAD, FROME
(Acute—39 beds and Maternity—9 beds). For Theatre and Out-patients. Resident or non-resident. This hospital is associated with St. Aldhelm's Hospital as a Training School for Assistant Nurses.

HAM GREEN HOSPITAL, PILL, Nr. BRISTOL
(507 beds). State Registered Nurses. S.R.N., R.S.C.N., R.F.N. Also required for Respiratory Failure Unit.

HAWKMOOR CHEST HOSPITAL, BOVEY TRACEY, S. DEVON
(214 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. Good experience available. Opportunity to train for the B.T.A. Certificate. May be resident or non-resident. **A self-contained flat** (at a reasonable rent) may be available for a married couple without children, or two friends, if both prove suitable.

ILEX LODGE HOSPITAL, AXBRIDGE, SOMERSET
(Geriatric Unit—76 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

LYNTON DISTRICT COTTAGE HOSPITAL, LYNTON
(Maternity—3 beds; General—7 beds).

NEWTON ABBOT HOSPITAL, NEWTON ABBOT, S. DEVON
(283 beds). S.R.N. Day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY, BARNSTAPLE
(105 beds). Previous experience with children (R.S.C.N. preferred) for Children's Ward. Also one with theatre experience required. Eight hour spell of duty in operation.

ROYAL DEVON AND EXETER HOSPITAL, EXETER
(302 beds). For busy Casualty Department. Interesting work.

ST. AUSTELL AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, ST. AUSTELL
(27 beds). S.R.N. required for small busy General Theatre.

ST. MARTIN'S HOSPITAL, MIDFORD ROAD, BATH
(635 beds). For Theatre.

SOUTH MOLTON AND DISTRICT COTTAGE HOSPITAL
(General—6 beds; Maternity—3 beds).

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SOUTH WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

TAUNTON AND SOMERSET HOSPITAL, TAUNTON, SOMERSET
(423 beds). Excellent experience for suitable candidates.

TAUNTON MATERNITY UNIT, MUSGROVE PARK HOSPITAL, TAUNTON
Required for the Special Care Baby Unit (premature babies, sick neo-natal infants).

TEHIDY CHEST HOSPITAL, CAMBORNE
(120 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. Excellent experience in the nursing of major thoracic surgery, including cardiac and oesophageal surgery. Modern nurses' home. Training School for B.T.A. Certificate.

THE ROYAL HOSPITAL, WESTON-SUPER-MARE
(Medical—46 beds). Day or night duty. S.R.N. Full-time. Non-resident.

WELLS AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, WELLS, SOMERSET
(Acute—30 beds and Maternity—10 beds). For Casualty and Out-patients. Resident or non-resident.

WEST OF ENGLAND EYE INFIRMARY, EXETER
(62 beds). Administered with Royal Devon and Exeter Hospital (302 beds). For Male Ward of 26 beds. Interesting and varied work.

WINSLEY CHEST HOSPITAL, LIMPLEY STOKE, Nr. BATH
(135 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident. Forty-four hour week.

STAFF NURSES (Male)

BIDEFORD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, BIDEFORD
(52 beds). For Male Medical and Surgical Ward.

HAWKMOOR CHEST HOSPITAL, BOVEY TRACEY, S. DEVON
(214 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. Good experience available. Opportunity to train for the B.T.A. Certificate. May be resident or non-resident. **A self-contained flat** (at a reasonable rent) may be available for a married couple without children, or two friends, if both prove suitable.

NEWTON ABBOT HOSPITAL, NEWTON ABBOT, S. DEVON
(283 beds). S.R.N. Day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

NURSERY NURSES

EXETER CITY HOSPITAL, EXETER
(260 beds). For modern, up-to-date Premature Baby Unit of Maternity Unit—10 cots.

POST REGISTRATION COURSES

HAM GREEN HOSPITAL, PILL, Nr. BRISTOL
(507 beds). S.R.N.s, male and female, for three months' course in Respiratory Failure Unit. Courses commence 1st January, 1st March, 1st May, 1st July, 1st September and 1st November. Shorter periods for practical experience.

WEST OF ENGLAND EYE INFIRMARY, EXETER
(62 beds). One year course for Ophthalmic Nursing Diploma. S.R.N. Apply to Matron, Royal Devon and Exeter Hospital, Exeter.

WINSLEY CHEST HOSPITAL, LIMPLEY STOKE, Nr. BATH
(135 beds). S.R.N., male or female, for one year's training for the B.T.A. Certificate.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

CLAVERTON DOWN HOSPITAL, CLAVERTON DOWN, BATH
(88 beds). For Convalescent Ward.

COSSHAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, BRISTOL
(Acute General—86 beds). Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

NEWQUAY AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, NEWQUAY
Acute, 22 bedded G.P. hospital, situated one mile from sea and golf course. Two operating sessions per week. Busy Out-patient and Casualty Departments.

NEWTON ABBOT HOSPITAL, NEWTON ABBOT, S. DEVON
(283 beds). Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY, BARNSTAPLE
(105 beds). Male for busy Surgical Ward. Day or night duty. Also two required for Theatre. Previous experience preferred, but not essential.

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL, COMBE PARK, BATH
(457 beds). For Manor Hospital, and Maternity Department, Royal United Hospital. Forty-four hour week.

ST. AUSTELL AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, ST. AUSTELL
(27 beds). Busy general hospital.

ST. MARTIN'S HOSPITAL, MIDFORD ROAD, BATH
(635 beds). For all wards and departments. Acute and long-stay work. Forty-four hour week.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, SHEPTON MALLET, SOMERSET
Female. Resident or non-resident.

SAMBOURNE HOSPITAL, WARMINSTER, WILTS.
(121 beds). Resident or non-resident.

TEHIDY CHEST HOSPITAL, CAMBORNE
(120 beds).

THE ROYAL HOSPITAL, WESTON-SUPER-MARE
(Medical—46 beds). Full-time. Day and night duty. Non-resident.

WELLS INFIRMARY, WELLS
(Chronic Sick—125 beds). Resident or non-resident. This hospital is associated with the Wells and District Hospital as a Training School for Assistant Nurses.

WINSLEY CHEST HOSPITAL, LIMPLEY STOKE, Nr. BATH
(135 beds). Female. Forty-four hour week.

PLYMOUTH AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL GROUP
TREBARRAS MATERNITY HOME, LISKEARD

Midwifery Sister in Charge required for maternity home of six beds. Salary scale £704-£887; residence charges, £205.

The home is a very busy unit and is situated in the centre of Liskeard, a market town within easy travelling distance of the surrounding moorlands and the Cornish Coast.

Applications, with full details, including the names of two referees, to the Midwifery Matron, c/o Alexandra Maternity Home, Stoke, Plymouth.

DEPARTMENTAL MIDWIFERY SISTER

WENDOVER MATERNITY HOSPITAL, DOWNEND, BRISTOL
(15 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Deputy to Matron.

MIDWIFERY NIGHT SISTER

TAUNTON MATERNITY UNIT, MUSGROVE PARK HOSPITAL, TAUNTON
Unit offers good experience of normal and abnormal cases.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

DEVIZES MATERNITY HOSPITAL, WICK, DEVIZES
(15 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident, or local authority flat might be available, if required.

FROME VICTORIA HOSPITAL, PARK ROAD, FROME
(Acute—39 beds and Maternity—9 beds). Resident or non-resident. This hospital is associated with St. Aldhelm's Hospital as a Training School for Assistant Nurses.

MORTIMER HOUSE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, CLIFTON, BRISTOL
S.R.N., S.C.M.

OKEHAMPTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, OKEHAMPTON, DEVON
(17 beds). For duty in four bedded unit.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, SHEPTON MALLET, SOMERSET
Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH MOLTON AND DISTRICT COTTAGE HOSPITAL
(General—6 beds; Maternity—3 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident.

TIVERTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, TIVERTON, DEVON
(50 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. required for Maternity Unit of 11 beds. Resident or non-resident.

TORRINGTON COTTAGE HOSPITAL
(General—8 beds; Maternity—4 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Post vacant 1st June, 1941.

STAFF MIDWIVES

ASHCOMBE HOUSE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, THE DRIVE, MILTON ROAD, WESTON-SUPER-MARE
(G.P.—21 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Non-resident.

BICCLESCOMBE HOSPITAL, ILFRACOMBE
(10 bedded Midwifery Unit).

BOVEY TRACEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, BOVEY TRACEY, DEVON
(18 beds). Two required for duty in four bedded unit.

LYNTON DISTRICT COTTAGE HOSPITAL
(Maternity—3 beds; General—7 beds). Two required.

MORTIMER HOUSE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, CLIFTON, BRISTOL

MOWBRAY HOUSE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, EXETER
(24 beds). Apply to Matron, City Hospital, Exeter.

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY, BARNSTAPLE
(Abnormal Unit—14 beds; G.P. Midwifery Unit—13 beds). Complete Training School. One required for Abnormal Department and one for G.P. Unit. Forty-four hour week.

OKEHAMPTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, OKEHAMPTON, DEVON
(17 beds). Two required for duty in four bedded unit.

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL, COMBE PARK, BATH
(457 beds). For busy Maternity Department undertaking all kinds of normal and abnormal work. Good experience gained.

SOUTH MOLTON AND DISTRICT COTTAGE HOSPITAL
(General—6 beds; Maternity—3 beds).

TAUNTON MATERNITY UNIT, MUSGROVE PARK HOSPITAL, TAUNTON
Unit offers good experience of normal and abnormal cases.

WESTON-SUPER-MARE GENERAL HOSPITAL
(104 beds). General Training School for Nurses. S.C.M., S.R.N. Resident or non-resident. Small Obstetric Unit (10 beds). Consultant Obstetrician in charge of unit. Experience in abnormal midwifery anticipated.

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

MENDIP HOSPITAL, WELLS, SOMERSET

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for the position of **Assistant Matron** at the above mental hospital. Preferably S.R.N. and R.M.N., but R.M.N. only would be considered. Salary and conditions in accordance with Whitley Council, viz., £735 rising by annual increments to £919 per annum.

It is a complete training hospital for mental nurses and has its own Preliminary Training School. All modern methods of treatment for mental diseases are carried out at the hospital.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, with names and addresses of two persons to whom reference may be made, to be addressed to the Matron, Mendip Hospital, Wells, Somerset, as soon as possible.

SENIOR ASSISTANT MATRON

ST. LAWRENCE'S (PSYCHIATRIC) HOSPITAL, BODMIN, CORNWALL
(1,250 beds). R.M.N. Double qualification an advantage. Administrative experience desirable.

NIGHT SISTER (in Sole Charge)

YATTON HALL, YATTON, Nr. BRISTOL
(76 beds). R.N.M.S. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

MENDIP HOSPITAL, WELLS, SOMERSET
There is a vacancy for a Ward Sister at this progressive psychiatric hospital which is situated in beautiful grounds at the foot of the Mendip Hills, about one mile from the City of Wells. Excellent accommodation is provided in a well furnished nurses' home, and ample facilities are available for sports and social activities.

NORAH FRY HOSPITAL, SHEPTON MALLET, SOMERSET
(193 beds). Ward Sisters. R.N.M.S. or R.M.N. Adult female mentally sub-normal patients. Very comfortable nurses' home.

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

ST. MARTIN'S HOSPITAL, MIDFORD ROAD, BATH
(635 beds). For Women's Mental Ward. Forty-four hour week.

DEPUTY CHARGE NURSE

YATTON HALL, YATTON, Nr. BRISTOL
(76 beds). R.N.M.S. Duty on Boys' Ward.

SOUTH WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS—Contd.

STAFF NURSES

FARLEIGH HOSPITAL, FLAX BOURTON
(210 beds). R.N.M.S. Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Required at the following hospitals for two years' training for Roll of Assistant Nurses.

BIDEFORD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
A busy general hospital of 52 beds. Good residential quarters are provided. The district comprises an extensive holiday area with sandy beaches and wild moorland country.

NEWTON ABBOT HOSPITAL, NEWTON ABBOT, S. DEVON
(283 beds). Over 18 years of age.

ST. MARTIN'S HOSPITAL, MIDFORD ROAD, BATH
(635 beds). Male or female. Candidates must be at least 18 years of age. Resident or non-resident. Forty-four hour week. Large general hospital offering training of an essentially practical nature. Vacancies in the school beginning 18th September, 1961. Nurses who have discontinued general training are welcomed to take the shortened course for the Assistant Nurse Roll.

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

There are vacancies in the undermentioned hospitals. Training allowance and conditions of service in accordance with Whitley Council scale. Applications to Matron of hospital concerned.

HAWKMOOR CHEST HOSPITAL, BOVEY TRACEY, S. DEVON
(314 beds). Eighteen years of age or over. Female. Excellent living conditions. Resident or non-resident. This well-equipped hospital is an approved training school for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Excellent experience is offered in modern medical treatments and thoracic surgery, including oesophageal and cardiac surgery, for adults and children. Lectures are given by the Consultant Chest Physician and full-time Tutor.

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY, BARNSTAPLE
Good residential quarters are provided. The district comprises an extensive holiday area. Block system of training. Lectures by medical staff and qualified tutors.

ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL, COMBE PARK, BATH
(457 beds). Vacancies for students between the ages of 18-34 years, with good education. Modern hospital and nurses' home in ideal surroundings. Training covers three years, followed by six months as a Staff Nurse. Study periods allowed throughout the course. The Preliminary Training School commences in January, March, June and September each year. Candidates on the Supplementary Register of the General Nursing Council are accepted for two years' training.

TAUNTON AND SOMERSET HOSPITAL, TAUNTON, SOMERSET
(423 beds). There are vacancies for Students between the ages of 18-34 years, with good education, at the above hospital, which is a 400 bedded complete training school and is situated within easy reach of lovely countryside. Training covers three years, including Preliminary Training School, which commences in January, May and September each year. Candidates on the Supplementary Register are accepted for two years' training.

WESTON-SUPER-MARE GENERAL HOSPITAL
Female, between the ages of 18 and 34, with good education. Block system of training. Lectures by medical staff and qualified tutors. Candidates on the Supplementary Register of the General Nursing Council accepted for two years' training. Preliminary Training School commencing May and October, 1961.

WINSLEY CHEST HOSPITAL, LIMPLEY STOKE, Nr. BATH
(135 beds). Male or female required for two years' training for the B.T.A. Certificate.

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses and Pupil Midwives, at Training Hospitals in all parts of the Region. A list of Hospitals (including Mental and Mental Deficiency Hospitals) which are recognised Training Schools will be sent on application to the Regional Nursing Officer, South Western Regional Hospital Board, "Parklands", 27 Tyndalls Park Road, Bristol, 8. (59)

BLACK NOTLEY HOSPITAL, BRAINTREE, ESSEX

(516 beds)

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Deputy Matron** at the above hospital which is a complete General and Orthopaedic Training School. Salary in accordance with Whitley scales.

Detailed applications, stating age, experience and previous posts held, to Matron as soon as possible. (2419)

NOBLE'S ISLE OF MAN HOSPITAL

Principal Tutor required to take charge of Training School at this busy General Hospital. Female, resident or non-resident. Male, non-resident. Whitley Council terms of service. Low Manx Income Tax.

Apply to Matron, stating age, details of training and experience, and the names of two Matrons for reference. (2171)

THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN GREAT ORMOND STREET, LONDON, W.C.1

Applications are invited from qualified female **Sister Tutors** with an interest in experimental schemes of nursing education. Modern school of nursing. Resident or non-resident.

Apply to Matron. (2780)

LYMINGTON HOSPITAL, LYMINGTON, HANTS.

(95 beds)

Sister, S.R.N., with theatre experience, required for general, gynaecological, orthopaedic, ear, nose and throat surgery.

Applications to Matron. (2661)

HAMMERSMITH HOSPITAL AND POST-GRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL DU CANE ROAD, LONDON, W.12

Applications invited for the following posts:
Administrative Sister (graded as Departmental Sister, Category "A").
Staff Nurses for Premature Baby Unit.
Detailed applications to Matron. (2927)

CYPRUS

NIGHT SISTER (S.R.N., S.C.M.)

with good all-round post-graduate epxerience required for American Mining Company's 65-bed Hospital in Cyprus. Duty—14 nights on, in sole charge, and 5 nights off. Salary £57 10s. per month. Local travel allowance £3 10s. monthly. Uniform allowance £25. Free board, quarters and laundry. Two years' agreement with two months' paid leave upon completion.

Applications, with references, to Wilkens & Devereux (Purchasing) Ltd., Brettenham House, Lancaster Place, Strand, London, W.C.2. (1227)

BEDFORD GENERAL HOSPITAL (SOUTH WING)

The following staff are required:
Night Sister (one of four).
Surgical Ward Sister.
The hospital is situated in pleasant country within easy travelling distance of London.
Apply Matron, Kempston Road, Bedford. (985)

THE UNITED SHEFFIELD HOSPITALS

Applications are invited for the following posts:

JESSOP HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, SHEFFIELD, 3
(234 beds)
Theatre Sister required to work in new Twin Theatre Suite.
Two Staff Midwives required—posts offer a wide experience in midwifery.

ROYAL INFIRMARY, SHEFFIELD
(541 beds)
Relief Sister required.

CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 10
(205 beds)
Staff Nurses required. Full and part-time. Preferably S.R.N., R.S.C.N.
Applications to Matron of hospital concerned. (2934)

HOSPITALS FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST THE LONDON CHEST HOSPITAL

A few vacancies exist as follows:

VICTORIA PARK, E.2

1. **Staff Nurses** (women). Opportunity to take the B.T.A. Cert., Hospital Certificate in thoracic and cardiac surgical nursing, and Theatre Certificate.
   The Melrose Heart-Lung Machine is in use.
   A special Respiratory Unit is to be opened shortly.
2. **Nursing Auxiliaries**, with previous experience.

ARLESEY, BEDS.

1. **Ward Sister**, with chest experience.
2. **Staff Nurses** for Wards and Theatre. Opportunity to take the B.T.A. Cert. Good experience in thoracic and cardiac conditions.
3. **Student Nurses** (women) to take two-year course for B.T.A. Cert.
4. **Nursing Auxiliaries**, with previous experience.

Applications to Matron of the appropriate hospital. (2162)

Charing Cross Group of Hospitals KINGSBURY MATERNITY HOSPITAL HONEYPOT LANE, N.W.9

Part I Midwifery Training School
(56 beds)

Midwifery Sister, S.R.N., S.C.M., required at the above hospital. Applications to Matron. (2902)

SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

NURSING STAFF VACANCIES

Applications are invited for the following appointments, which should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training and experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), to the Matron (NT/SW) of the appropriate Hospital, from whom also further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance with the scales of the Nurses and Midwives Whitley Council or other appropriate National scales.

A list of all hospitals in the region which are recognized Training Schools for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses and Pupil Midwives will be sent on application to the Secretary (S.2), 40, Eastbourne Terrace, London, W.2.

POST REGISTRATION COURSES

THE CASSEL HOSPITAL FOR FUNCTIONAL NERVOUS DISORDERS HAM COMMON, RICHMOND, SURREY

FAMILY CENTRED NURSING

State Registered Nurses, between the ages of 24 and 30, who are interested in children and family care, are invited to apply for a 12-month salaried course in psychological nursing, for which there are immediate and future vacancies. The nurse will be a member of a clinical team and will be concerned with individual, family and community relationships inside and outside the hospital. She will gain experience in psychological aspects of child care and in methods of reporting, job placement and the use of social services. Discussions and visits will link the various aspects of the hospital's work with others concerned with mental health. There are good social and recreational facilities and opportunities for the nurse's particular interests.

Apply Matron.

BANSTEAD HOSPITAL, SUTTON, SURREY (2,005 beds). Men and women for 18 months' course in psychiatric nursing. Courses commence in the training school April, August and September.

BROOKWOOD HOSPITAL, KNAPHILL, WOKING, SURREY (1,800 beds). Eighteen months' approved course of psychiatric training commencing June and October, 1961, for men and women. Study day system of training. Hospital situated in pleasant surroundings, within easy reach of London. Active sports and social club. Full particulars from Matron and Chief Male Nurse. Candidates are welcome to visit the hospital.

GRAYLINGWELL HOSPITAL, CHICHESTER, SUSSEX (Female—819 beds). S.R.N. for 18 months approved course of Post-registration Psychiatric training. Hospital pleasantly situated within easy reach of the sea and London. Particulars will be sent on request. Candidates are welcome to visit the hospital.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON, SURREY (594 beds). Courses for State Registered Nurses in Surgery, Medicine, Gynaecology, Ear, Nose and Throat. Courses commence April. July and October, 1961, although candidates can start between these dates. Also Post-registration Student Nurses —shortened period of training for candidates already on the Supplementary Registers of the General Nursing Council.

ROFFEY PARK REHABILITATION CENTRE, HORSHAM, SUSSEX (117 beds). Training for S.R.N. or R.M.N. in Psychiatric Nursing. Certificate awarded on completion of six-month course. Forty-four hour week.

ST. MARY ABBOTS HOSPITAL, MARLOES ROAD, KENSINGTON, W.8 (General—348 beds). Staff Nurses required for permanent establishment in Theatre and to take six months' course. Certificate awarded at the end of training. Resident or non-resident.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY, SURREY (394 beds). Theatre Course for Staff Nurses. Six months' excellent experience offered to S.R.N.s wishing to specialise in general, orthopaedic, gynaecological and E.N.T. theatre work. Certificate on completion.

THE ROWLEY BRISTOW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, PYRFORD, WOKING, SURREY (200 beds). Staff Nurses to take course for orthopaedic nursing staff.

TOOTING BEC HOSPITAL, LONDON, S.W.17. Shortened 18 months' Psychiatric Course for men and women general trained nurses, based on new syllabus. Study day system of training. These courses commence in April, August and December, 1961. Forty-four hour week. Resident or non-resident. Full particulars from Matron or Chief Male Nurse.

WARLINGHAM PARK HOSPITAL, WARLINGHAM, SURREY (Nervous and Mental Disorders). Men and women for training for Mental Nursing Certificate of G.N.C. Shortened course of 18 months. Modern nurses' home. Active sports and social club. Apply to the Personnel Officer.

SOUTH WEST LONDON

REGISTERED NURSE TUTOR IN SOLE CHARGE

PRINCESS BEATRICE HOSPITAL, EARLS COURT, S.W.5 (General—100 beds).

REGISTERED NURSE TUTORS

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, CHELSEA, S.W.10 (General —440 beds). Two Sister Tutors required—Total establishment four. Sister Tutors' Diploma, S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (445 beds). Post vacant now.

SUPERINTENDENT

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, CHELSEA, S.W.10 (General—440 beds). For Casualty Department. S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

HOME SISTERS

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, S.W.9 (362 beds).

SOUTH WEST LONDON—Contd.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

BATTERSEA GENERAL HOSPITAL, BATTERSEA PARK, S.W.11 (General—77 beds). Post offers wide variety of experience in interesting unit.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, LONDON, S.W.11 (445 beds) Resident.

THEATRE SUPERINTENDENT

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, CHELSEA, S.W.10 (General—440 beds). With previous experience. S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTER IN SOLE CHARGE

JEWISH HOME OF REST, BIRCHLANDS AVENUE, WANDSWORTH COMMON, S.W.12 (Chronic Sick—24 beds). Senior. Non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—562 beds). Senior Night Sister. Resident or non-resident.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, CHELSEA, S.W.10 (General—440 beds). S.R.N. Forty-four hour week. Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

ST. MARY ABBOTS HOSPITAL, MARLOES ROAD, KENSINGTON, W. (General—348 beds). S.R.N., with some experience of E.N.T. work. Resident or non-resident.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, CHELSEA, S.W.10 (General—440 beds). S.R.N. Forty-four hour week. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

BATTERSEA GENERAL HOSPITAL, BATTERSEA PARK, S.W.11 (General—77 beds). Ward Sister for Male Ward (22 beds). Also Permanent Relief Sister.

BOLINGBROKE HOSPITAL, WANDSWORTH COMMON, S.W.11 (General—129 beds). Relief Sister. Permanent post with view to obtaining a ward later.

ST. BENEDICT'S HOSPITAL, CHURCH LANE, TOOTING, S.W.17 (Chronic Sick and Rehabilitation—254 beds). Ward Sisters. Non-resident.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—562 beds) Ward Sisters for relief duties. Also Casualty Sister. Resident or non-resident.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL, ST. GEORGE'S CIRCUS, S.E.1 (50 beds) S.R.N., O.N.D. essential. Resident or non-resident. For six months from 1st. May.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, SYDNEY STREET, CHELSEA, S.W.3 (Chronic Sick—242 beds). Two required. Temporary or permanent. Resident or non-resident. Comfortable sisters' home.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

BATTERSEA GENERAL HOSPITAL, BATTERSEA PARK, S.W.11 (General—77 beds). One for Theatre.

LAMBETH HOSPITAL, BROOK DRIVE, S.E.11 (508 beds).

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, S.W. (362 beds).

STAFF NURSES (WOMEN)

BATTERSEA GENERAL HOSPITAL, BATTERSEA PARK, S.W.11 (General—77 beds). One for wards.

BOLINGBROKE HOSPITAL, WANDSWORTH COMMON, S.W.11 (General—129 beds). For Children's Ward. Must be R.S.C.N.

ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL, ST. GEORGE'S CIRCUS, S.E.1 (50 beds) S.R.N., part-time, for night duty—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—562 beds). For Wards. Resident or non-resident.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, LONDON, S.W.11 (445 beds) For Long-stay and Geriatric Wards.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, SYDNEY STREET, CHELSEA, S.W.3 (Chronic Sick—242 beds). For full-time duties. Resident or non-resident. Also accepts for short periods, e.g., between first and second parts of midwifery training.

ST. MARY ABBOTS HOSPITAL, MARLOES ROAD, KENSINGTON, W. (General—348 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, CHELSEA, S.W.10 (General —440 beds). S.R.N. Forty-four hour week. Resident or non-resident. Also some part-time.

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, CLAPHAM COMMON, S.W. (254 beds). For Theatre and Wards.

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, S.W. (362 beds). For Surgical Ward. Day duty. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (MEN)

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—562 beds). For ward duties. Resident or non-resident.

ST. MARY ABBOTS HOSPITAL, MARLOES ROAD, KENSINGTON, W. (General—348 beds). S.R.N. Non-resident.

SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

SOUTH WEST LONDON—Contd.

DEPARTMENTAL MIDWIFERY SISTER

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, CLAPHAM COMMON, S.W.4 (251 beds). Required in July: a Senior Sister for the District Midwifery Home. Facilities for attending Midwife Teacher's Training Course. This is a Part II Midwifery Training School. Applicants should be experienced in district work and the training of Pupil Midwives. The post is Departmental Category B. Further details and application form from Matron.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

ST. MARY ABBOTS HOSPITAL, MARLOES ROAD, KENSINGTON, W.8 (General—348 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

WANDSWORTH GROUP MATERNITY UNIT, Weir Maternity Hospital, Balham, S.W.12 (Part I Training School—56 beds, plus 12 Prem. Baby Unit). Day and night duty. Resident or non-resident. Apply Matron, St. James' Hospital, Balham, S.W.12.

STAFF MIDWIVES

ST. MARY ABBOTS HOSPITAL, MARLOES ROAD, KENSINGTON, W.8 (General—348 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, CHELSEA, S.W.10 (General—440 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Forty-four hour week. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, CLAPHAM COMMON, S.W.4 (Maternity—53 beds). For hospital and district.

WANDSWORTH GROUP MATERNITY UNIT, Weir Maternity Hospital, Balham, S.W.12 (Part I Training School—56 beds, plus 12 Prem. Baby Unit). For Premature Baby Unit. Resident or non-resident. Apply to Matron, St. James' Hospital, Balham, S.W.12.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

WANDSWORTH GROUP MATERNITY UNIT, Weir Maternity Hospital, Balham, S.W.12 (Part I Training School—56 beds, plus 12 Prem. Baby Unit). May, August and November, 1961, and February, 1962, schools. Resident or non-resident. Apply Matron, St. James' Hospital, Balham, S.W.12.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (WOMEN)

BOLINGBROKE HOSPITAL, WANDSWORTH COMMON, S.W.11 (General—129 beds).

JEWISH HOME OF REST, BIRCHLANDS AVENUE, WANDSWORTH COMMON, S.W.12 (Chronic Sick—24 beds). For night duty. Non-resident.

NORWOOD HOSPITAL, HERMITAGE ROAD, S.E.19. Good experience offered in medical and surgical work. Eighty-eight hour fortnight.

PUTNEY HOSPITAL, LOWER COMMON, S.W.15. For general duties.

ST. BENEDICT'S HOSPITAL, CHURCH LANE, TOOTING, S.W.17 (Chronic Sick and Rehabilitation—254 beds). Full or part-time. Non-resident.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—562 beds). For wards. Resident or non-resident.

ST. MARY ABBOTS HOSPITAL, MARLOES ROAD, KENSINGTON, W.8 (General—348 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, CHELSEA, S.W.10 (General—440 beds). Part-time/full-time. Non-resident.

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, CLAPHAM COMMON, S.W.4 (254 beds). For Acute Medical and Surgical Wards. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, S.W.9 (362 beds). Day and night duty. Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

WANDSWORTH GROUP MATERNITY UNIT, Weir Maternity Hospital, Balham, S.W.12 (Part I Training School—56 beds, plus 12 Prem. Baby Unit). Resident or non-resident. Apply to Matron, St. James' Hospital, Balham, S.W.12.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MEN)

ST. BENEDICT'S HOSPITAL, CHURCH LANE, TOOTING, S.W.17 (Chronic Sick and Rehabilitation—254 beds). Non-resident.

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, S.W.9 (362 beds). Day and night duty. Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

NORWOOD HOSPITAL, HERMITAGE ROAD, S.E.19. No previous experience necessary. Eighty-eight hour fortnight

ST. BENEDICT'S HOSPITAL, CHURCH LANE, TOOTING, S.W.17 (Chronic Sick and Rehabilitation—254 beds). Non-resident.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, SYDNEY STREET, CHELSEA, S.W.3 (Chronic Sick—242 beds). Full or part-time. Preferably non-resident. Aged 18-40 years. Lectures given.

ST. MARY ABBOTS HOSPITAL, MARLOES ROAD, KENSINGTON, W.8 (General—348 beds). English language. Resident or non-resident.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, CHELSEA, S.W.10 (General—440 beds). Non-resident. In-service training given.

SURREY

THAMES DITTON HOSPITAL
WESTON GREEN ROAD, THAMES DITTON

STAFF NURSE required. Full-time. Resident. Small busy general practitioner hospital.

Apply to Matron.

FARNHAM HOSPITAL, HALE ROAD, FARNHAM

(173 beds)

Complete General Training School

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

Applications are invited for the above post. Immediate vacancy. Opportunity to gain good administration experience.

Applications to Matron.

SURREY—Contd.

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, REDHILL

(519 beds)

General Training School; Part I Midwifery School

THEATRE SISTERS (resident or non-resident). Forty-four hour working week. Excellent experience can be obtained in four Operating Theatres. Staff can specialise in general surgery, orthopaedic and gynaecological work.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (resident or non-resident). Forty-four hour working week. One year's post-registration training, for which a hospital certificate is awarded. The hospital is situated in a delightful part of Surrey. Redhill is within easy reach of London and the South Coast; frequent fast trains (35 minute journey) from Redhill to London. Comfortable quarters and good amenities for those who wish to be resident.

For any further information or request for an interview, write to Matron.

ASSISTANT MATRON

TOLWORTH HOSPITAL, RED LION ROAD, TOLWORTH. Hospital caring for infectious diseases, chest, paediatric and chronic sick patients. Previous administrative experience essential. Possession of R.F.N. or fever experience desirable. This hospital is recognised as providing further experience for Student Nurses and Pupil Assistant Nurses. The appointment is subject to the provisions of the National Health Service Superannuation Regulations. Detailed applications, together with the names of three referees, should be sent to the Group Secretary, Kingston Group H.M.C., 35 Coombe Road, Kingston-upon-Thames, as soon as possible.

REGISTERED NURSE TUTORS

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CROYDON (200 beds). Immediate vacancy for Temporary Sister Tutor. Registered Sister Tutor preferred. Block system of training. Working under Principal Sister Tutor in Preliminary Training School and in teaching of Senior Students. Resident or non-resident.

EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM (Acute—311 beds). For Preliminary Training School. Resident or non-resident. Applications to Group Secretary.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (594 beds). Nurse Tutor for Senior Classroom. Preferably non-resident, but residence can be arranged or addresses given. London Weighting Allowance.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, GUILDFORD (385 beds). Qualified S.R.N. One of three. Block system of education.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (594 beds). General and Part I Midwifery Training School. Excellent opportunity for introduction to nursing administration. Eighty-eight hour fortnight.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—410 beds). New appointment giving opportunity to obtain experience in all aspects of nursing administration.

NIGHT SISTER IN SOLE CHARGE

HORLEY AND DISTRICT COTTAGE HOSPITAL, BRIGHTON ROAD, HORLEY (16 beds).

NIGHT SISTERS

EAST SURREY HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY ROAD, REDHILL (141 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. One of three. Resident or non-resident.

KINGSTON HOSPITAL, WOLVERTON AVENUE, KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES (503 beds). To take charge of a block of wards, under Night Superintendent. Excellent experience for young enthusiastic Sister. S.R.N. (S.C.M. preferred, but not essential). Forty-four hour week. Must have had recent experience in acute medical and surgical nursing and be interested in teaching Student Nurses.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (410 beds). Two required to work with Night Superintendent and other Night Sisters.

WEYBRIDGE HOSPITAL, CHURCH STREET, WEYBRIDGE (41 beds).

THEATRE SISTERS

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds). One of two.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (594 beds). S.R.N., preferably with Part I C.M.B., for busy Theatres, General Surgery, Gynaecological, Orthopaedic, and Ear, Nose and Throat. One of five Sisters and Theatre Superintendent. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL HOSPITAL, RICHMOND. Senior Theatre Sister, one of two, for busy General Theatre. Good experience. Eighty-eight hour fortnight. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

CUDDINGTON HOSPITAL, BANSTEAD (I.D., Pre-convalescent, Chronic—130 beds). Junior Ward Sisters: one for Post-operative, Pre-convalescent, Surgical and Orthopaedic Ward of 25 beds, and for Female Geriatric Ward of 30 beds. Resident or non-resident.

FARNHAM HOSPITAL, HALE ROAD, FARNHAM (Acute—173 beds, including 10 Maternity). For Out-patient Department.

HASLEMERE AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, HASLEMERE (85 beds). Relief Sister or Staff Nurse, S.R.N., for three to six months.

KING GEORGE V HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST, GODALMING (232 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N., B.T.A., for 24 bedded Female Medical Ward specialising in chest diseases.

KINGSTON HOSPITAL, WOLVERTON AVENUE, KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES (503 beds). Junior Sister for busy Male Surgical Ward (in first instance). To work under Departmental Sister. Suitable post for experienced Staff Nurses seeking promotion.

OTTERSHAW HOSPITAL, MURRAY ROAD, OTTERSHAW, CHERTSEY (62 beds). R.F.N., S.R.N. Eighty-eight hour fortnight.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—410 beds). Ward Sisters to work on 24 to 38 bedded wards.

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (531 beds). Second Ward Sister for Female Surgical Ward of 25 beds; also Ward Sister for Female Geriatric Ward of 25 beds. Both for Smallfield, near Horley. Also one for Casualty Department, Redhill; working under Departmental Sister.

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SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

SURREY—Contd.

SISTERS—Continued

RED ROSES HOSPITAL, PINE GROVE, WEYBRIDGE (Female Chronic Sick—12 beds). Ward Sister. Temporary. Resident.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY (394 beds). Out-patient and Casualty Sister, one of two under Departmental Sister, for 1st June, 1961. Busy department. Resident or non-resident. Hospital in pleasant rural surroundings, on bus route, and within easy reach of London.

SHABDEN PARK HOSPITAL, HIGH ROAD, CHIPSTEAD (Female Chronic Sick—60 beds). Ward Sister

THAMES DITTON HOSPITAL, WESTON GREEN ROAD, THAMES DITTON. Full-time. Resident. Small general practitioner hospital.

WOKING VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WOKING (72 beds). For Male Ward.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds).

EAST SURREY HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY ROAD, REDHILL (141 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., for day duty. Resident or non-resident.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (594 beds). For General Wards. Resident or non-resident. London Weighting Allowance.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CROYDON (200 beds). Day or night duty.

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds).

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY (394 beds).

THE ROWLEY BRISTOW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, PYRFORD, WOKING (200 beds). For Theatre.

WOKING VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WOKING (72 beds).

STAFF NURSES (WOMEN)

CLAREMONT HOSPITAL, ST. JAMES' ROAD, SURBITON. Full-time. Resident or non-resident. Small general practitioner hospital. Varied work.

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CROYDON (200 beds). Day and/or night. All wards. Resident or non-resident.

CUDDINGTON HOSPITAL, BANSTEAD (I.D., Pre-convalescent, Chronic—130 beds). S.R.N. for Post-operative Wards, Gynaecological and Surgical Wards, also Medical and Geriatric Wards. Resident or non-resident.

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds).

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds). For modern Geriatric Rehabilitation Unit at Harrowlands.

EAST SURREY HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY ROAD, REDHILL (141 beds). Resident or non-resident. One for night duty, S.R.N. One for Casualty and Out-patients' Department, S.R.N. One for Children's Ward, S.R.N., R.S.C.N. or R.S.C.N.

EPSOM AND EWELL COTTAGE HOSPITAL, ALEXANDRA ROAD, EPSOM (Acute—40 beds). Full-time, for Out-patients' Department, Private Patients' and Children's Ward (combined—10 beds). Resident or non-resident. Also full or part-time staff for night duty.

FARNHAM HOSPITAL, HALE ROAD, FARNHAM (Acute—173 beds, including 10 Maternity).

HASLEMERE AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, HASLEMERE (85 beds). S.R.N. required immediately for temporary period during sickness. For Children's Ward.

KING GEORGE V HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST, GODALMING (232 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. for Surgical or Medical Chest Wards. Opportunity to take one year post-graduate course for the British Tuberculosis Certificate. Also some part-time.

KINGSTON HOSPITAL, WOLVERTON AVENUE, KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES (503 beds). For Female Geriatric Ward. Should have genuine interest in this type of work and be willing to assist with teaching of Student Nurses and Nursing Auxiliaries.

LEATHERHEAD HOSPITAL, POPLAR ROAD, LEATHERHEAD (Acute—55 beds). Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (594 beds). Experienced, for Gynaecological, Surgical and Medical Wards, Maternity Department, Ear, Nose and Throat Unit, Eye Clinic and Theatres. Resident or non-resident. London Weighting Allowance.

NORTHCROFT HOSPITAL, NORTHCROFT ROAD, ENGLEFIELD GREEN, EGHAM (14 beds). Male chronic sick. Eighty-eight hour fortnight. Resident or non-resident.

OTTERSHAW HOSPITAL, MURRAY ROAD, OTTERSHAW, CHERTSEY (62 beds). Eighty-eight hour fortnight.

OXTED & LIMPSFIELD HOSPITAL, EASTLANDS WAY, OXTED (41 beds).

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—410 beds). S.R.N., resident or non-resident, for full-time duties. Also accepted for short periods, e.g., between first and second part of midwifery training.

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (531 beds). For Chest Ward and for Orthopaedic, Medical and Surgical Ward.

ROYAL HOSPITAL, RICHMOND. Part-time Staff Nurses required for night duty—three nights per week. Also Staff Nurses for duty in Male, Female and Children's Wards. Also part-time Staff Nurses—36 hours per week.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY (394 beds). For Medical and for Surgical Ward.

WADDON HOSPITAL, PURLEY WAY, CROYDON (179 beds; I.D.—78). Resident or non-resident. For duties on Infectious Diseases and/or Geriatric Wards.

WEYBRIDGE HOSPITAL, CHURCH STREET, WEYBRIDGE (41 beds). For Men's Ward.

WOKING VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WOKING (72 beds). For Pay-bed Annexe (12 beds), for general and casualty duties, and one for night duty.

STAFF NURSES (MEN)

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds). Non-resident.

KING GEORGE V HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST, GODALMING (232 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. for Surgical or Medical Chest Wards. Opportunity to take one-year post-graduate course for the British Tuberculosis Certificate. Also some, part-time.

SURREY—Contd.

STAFF NURSES (MEN)—Continued

NORTHCROFT HOSPITAL, NORTHCROFT ROAD, ENGLEFIELD GREEN, EGHAM (14 beds). Male chronic sick. Eighty-eight hour fortnight. Resident or non-resident.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—410 beds). S.R.N.

NURSERY NURSES

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, GUILDFORD (385 beds). Staff Nursery Nurse for Maternity Nurseries.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (531 beds). Part I Training School (52 beds).

WOKING MATERNITY HOSPITAL, HEATHSIDE ROAD, WOKING (Part I Midwifery Training School—50 beds and 12 premature cots). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

FARNHAM HOSPITAL, HALE ROAD, FARNHAM (Acute—173 beds including 10 Maternity). Immediate vacancy.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (594 beds, including 104 Maternity and Premature Baby Unit). S.R.N., S.C.M. All-round experience. Resident or non-resident. (London Weighting Allowance.)

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, GUILDFORD (Maternity—54 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Part I Training School.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (WOMEN)

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, CROYDON (200 beds). Wards and departments—day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

CUDDINGTON HOSPITAL, BANSTEAD (I.D., Pre-convalescent, Chronic—130 beds). Full or part-time for day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds). S.E.A.N.s, and one for Theatre.

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds). For modern Geriatric Rehabilitation Unit at Harrowlands.

FARNHAM HOSPITAL, HALE ROAD, FARNHAM (Acute—173 beds including 10 Maternity).

KING GEORGE V HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST, GODALMING (232 beds). Opportunity to take B.T.A. Certificate.

KINGSTON HOSPITAL, WOLVERTON AVENUE, KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES (503 beds). For duty on Geriatric and Maternity Wards.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (594 beds). For General Wards and Maternity Department. Resident or non-resident.

NORTHCROFT HOSPITAL, NORTHCROFT ROAD, ENGLEFIELD GREEN, EGHAM (14 beds). Male chronic sick. Eighty-eight hour fortnight. Resident or non-resident.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—410 beds). Applicants taken awaiting enrolment.

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (531 beds). Senior for Operating Theatre. Also S.E.A.N. for Chest Ward and one for General Ward.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, GUILDFORD (385 beds).

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY (394 beds). For General Wards and Out-patient Department.

SHABDEN PARK HOSPITAL, HIGH ROAD, CHIPSTEAD (Female Chronic Sick—60 beds).

THAMES DITTON HOSPITAL, WESTON GREEN ROAD, THAMES DITTON. Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

THE SCHIFF HOME OF RECOVERY, KNOWLE HILL PARK, COBHAM. Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

WADDON HOSPITAL, PURLEY WAY, CROYDON (179 beds; I.D.—78 beds). Resident or non-resident. For duties on Infectious Diseases and/or Geriatric Wards.

WOKING VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WOKING (72 beds).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MEN)

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds).

KING GEORGE V HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST, GODALMING (232 beds). Opportunity to take B.T.A. Certificate.

NORTHCROFT HOSPITAL, NORTHCROFT ROAD, ENGLEFIELD GREEN, EGHAM (14 beds). Male chronic sick. Eighty-eight hour fortnight. Resident or non-resident.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—410 beds).

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY (394 beds). For Orthopaedic and Surgical Wards.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

COBHAM AND DISTRICT COTTAGE HOSPITAL, PORTSMOUTH ROAD, COBHAM. For day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

CUDDINGTON HOSPITAL, BANSTEAD (I.D., Pre-convalescent, Chronic—130 beds). For day duty. Resident or non-resident.

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds). Female.

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds). For modern Geriatric Rehabilitation Unit at Harrowlands.

FARNHAM HOSPITAL, HALE ROAD, FARNHAM (Acute—173 beds including 10 Maternity).

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (594 beds). Previous experience desirable, not essential. Age 18-40 years. Four weeks' leave annually. Preferably non-resident—addresses available. (London Weighting Allowance.)

OXTED & LIMPSFIELD HOSPITAL, EASTLANDS WAY, OXTED (41 beds). Resident or non-resident.

SHABDEN PARK HOSPITAL, HIGH ROAD, CHIPSTEAD (Female Chronic Sick—60 beds). Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

THE SCHIFF HOME OF RECOVERY, KNOWLE HILL PARK, COBHAM. Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

WEST SUSSEX

NEW CRAWLEY HOSPITAL
(Stage I Development)

Nursing Staff Required for Maternity Departments and Premature Baby Units:

STAFF MIDWIVES.
STAFF NURSES.
STATE ENROLLED NURSES.
NURSING AUXILIARIES.
NURSERY NURSES.

These posts are all non-resident.

Applications, in writing, stating age, present employment and giving the names of two referees, to the Matron, Crawley Hospital, West Green Drive, Crawley, Sussex.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds). Required immediately. Apply, in writing, to the Matron, who will be glad to give further details.

NIGHT SISTERS

PETWORTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL, PETWORTH (13 beds). Delightful rural setting near Sussex Coast.

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds). Required for additional staff for Maternity Unit (expanding to 26 beds by June).

WORTHING HOSPITAL, WORTHING. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

LITTLEHAMPTON HOSPITAL, LITTLEHAMPTON (26 beds). With theatre and casualty experience. Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

PETWORTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL, PETWORTH (13 beds). Day Sister. Delightful rural setting near Sussex Coast.

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds). For additional staff for Maternity Unit (expanding to 26 beds by June).

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds).

STAFF NURSES (WOMEN)

BOGNOR WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, BERSTED STREET, BOGNOR REGIS (32 beds). S.R.N. for general duties in busy surgical hospital.

CHICHESTER INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (16 beds). S.R.N. (R.F.N. an advantage). Resident.

SWANDEAN HOSPITAL, ARUNDEL ROAD, WORTHING (Geriatric—[illegible] beds: Infectious Diseases—30 beds). Resident or non-resident.

WORTHING HOSPITAL, WORTHING. Two for day duty for newly-equipped wards of 25 geriatric women patients, opening shortly. Resident or non-resident. Also two for night duty.

DEPARTMENTAL MIDWIFERY SISTER

ZACHARY MERTON MATERNITY HOSPITAL, RUSTINGTON (50 beds, and 4 special care cots). Departmental Labour Ward Sister (Category C). R.N., S.C.M. To take charge of Labour Ward and Theatre Unit. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (WOMEN)

MIDHURST COTTAGE HOSPITAL, MIDHURST (22 beds). Very pleasant situation near Sussex Coast.

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds).

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN (COUNTRY BRANCH), "WOODHURST", PEASE POTTAGE, CRAWLEY (50 beds). Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident. Apply to Sister in Charge.

SWANDEAN HOSPITAL, ARUNDEL ROAD, WORTHING (Geriatric—[illegible] beds: Infectious Diseases—30 beds). Resident or non-resident.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

MIDHURST COTTAGE HOSPITAL, MIDHURST (22 beds). Very pleasant situation near Sussex Coast.

PETWORTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL, PETWORTH (13 beds). Delightful rural setting near Sussex Coast.

HAMPSHIRE

STAFF NURSES

KING GEORGE'S SANATORIUM FOR SAILORS, BRAMSHOTT PLACE, LIPHOOK (78 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (WOMEN)

KING GEORGE'S SANATORIUM FOR SAILORS, BRAMSHOTT PLACE, LIPHOOK (78 beds).

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

SPRINGFIELD HOSPITAL
BEECHCROFT ROAD, LONDON, S.W.17

QUALIFIED TUTOR (one of three) required immediately at this progressive psychiatric hospital where all modern forms of treatment are practised. The hospital is uniquely situated within 100 acres of gardens and parklands, close to the centre of London, ideal for travel purposes should additional studies be contemplated or professional conferences be attended.

Applications to the Group Secretary.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES—Contd.

SENIOR ASSISTANT MATRON

SPRINGFIELD HOSPITAL, BEECHCROFT ROAD, UPPER TOOTING, LONDON, S.W.17 (1,087 beds). Qualified in mental and general nursing.

ASSISTANT MATRONS

LONG GROVE HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY. Applications invited from Registered Mental Nurses with experience, after qualifying, in psychiatric or general hospital or in re-socialisation projects. Forty-four hour week. Shift system. London Weighting. A progressive hospital with a friendly atmosphere. Very active staff club.

REGISTERED NURSE TUTORS

BANSTEAD HOSPITAL, SUTTON, SURREY (2,005 beds). Qualified. Man or woman. Establishment of three. Progressive hospital. Study day system in operation. Invited to visit the hospital by appointment.

HORTON HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (Approx.—1,500 beds). Qualified Second Tutor to assist in teaching the new syllabus for psychiatric nursing. Hospital may be visited by arrangement with Matron.

TOOTING BEC HOSPITAL, LONDON, S.W.17. One of three. Block system of training and new syllabus in operation, also shortened 18 months' course for S.R.N.

WEST PARK HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (2,045 beds). Revised syllabus. Preliminary Training School. Accommodation available for single applicant (man or woman).

WARD SISTERS

BANSTEAD HOSPITAL, SUTTON, SURREY (Female—1,500 beds). R.M.N., S.R.N. an advantage.

WEST PARK HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY. Ward Sister, R.M.N. or R.M.P.A., for duty as Second Night Sister, under Night Superintendent in the first instance. 1,115 beds for women psychiatric patients. Good amenities, convenient access to London and the South Coast.

STAFF NURSES (WOMEN)

BANSTEAD HOSPITAL, SUTTON, SURREY (1,500 female beds). R.M.N.

LONG GROVE HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY. Vacancies available for Registered Mental Nurses. Forty-four hour week. Shift system. London Weighting. A progressive hospital with a friendly atmosphere. Very active staff club.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON, SURREY (594 beds). Female. Preferably S.R.N., R.M.N. Full and part-time. Small unit of six beds (male and female) for patients on Order and Out-patient Clinics, E.C.T., etc. Resident or non-resident.

TOOTING BEC HOSPITAL, LONDON, S.W.17 (1,400 beds). R.M.N. Shift system in operation.

WEST PARK HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY. A large, modern, psychiatric hospital with up-to-date treatments. Good prospects for promotion. Pleasantly situated, with easy access to London and South Coast. Recreational facilities on and off duty.

STAFF NURSES (MEN)

BANSTEAD HOSPITAL, SUTTON, SURREY (880 male beds). R.M.N. Apply Chief Male Nurse.

LONG GROVE HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY. Vacancies available for Registered Mental Nurses. Forty-four hour week. Shift system. London Weighting. A progressive hospital with a friendly atmosphere. Very active staff club. Applications to Chief Male Nurse.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, LONDON, S.W.11 (445 beds). For Psychiatric Unit.

NURSING ASSISTANTS

LONG GROVE HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY. In this progressive psychiatric hospital there is ample scope for interested persons to give a very worth-while service to those less fortunate than themselves, whilst enjoying good working conditions and salary. Forty-four hour week. Alternate a.m. and p.m. duty. Paid holidays. Apply to Matron or Chief Male Nurse.

STUDENT MENTAL NURSE TRAINING

There are vacancies for Student Nurses at the following hospitals, with training allowances, on entry, of £352 at age 18, £368 at age 19, £389 at age 20, less £130 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. At age 21 or over, training allowances are between £452-£494 p.a., less £158 for board, lodging, etc. £40 proficiency allowance payable on passing preliminary examination and £50 on passing final examination.

HOLLOWAY SANATORIUM, VIRGINIA WATER, SURREY. Applications are invited from men and women for a three-year course in psychiatric nursing under the new syllabus. Women are also invited to apply for four-year combined mental and general training with St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington; and men for combined mental and general training with West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth. Women: apply Matron. Men: apply Chief Male Nurse. The hospital is situated in delightful surroundings, 2 mins. from station, 35 mins., by rail, to Waterloo Station. New sports and social club, swimming pool and wide range of cultural activities and amenities.

LONG GROVE HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY. Vacancies available for men and women, of 18 years and over, for: (i) A three years' course of training for G.N.C. Register; and (ii) An 18 months' course, with special salary allowances, for those on the General Register. The Training School, with four Tutors, is one of the largest and most successful in the country. Nursing Staff work 44 hour week alternate a.m. and p.m. duty. There are no petty restrictions. A happy atmosphere prevails and there is an excellent staff club. Further particulars from Matron or Chief Male Nurse. Applicants may visit the hospital by appointment.

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ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL
CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT
PRINCESS LOUISE KENSINGTON HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN
ST. QUINTIN'S AVE., LONDON, W.10

Applications are invited for the post of **Night Sister,** part-time, R.S.C.N. and/or S.R.N. with children's experience.

Application forms are obtainable from: The Matron, Princess Louise Kensington Hospital for Children. (2629)

ROYAL NATIONAL ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL
231 GREAT PORTLAND STREET
LONDON, W.1

Temporary Night Sister required. Resident or non-resident. Whitley scale of salary. Apply Matron. (2770)

ROYAL NATIONAL ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL
BROCKLEY HILL
STANMORE, MIDDLESEX
(Post-graduate School of Orthopaedics—University of London)

Applications are invited for the post of **Night Sister,** either with the Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate or orthopaedic experience. Salary according to the Whitley scale. Post may be resident or non-resident.

Apply to Matron. (2773)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL
HEADINGTON, OXFORD

Night Sister required, one of three, for busy General Hospital. Excellent experience for anyone requiring a first Sister's post. 44 hour week. Five nights off a fortnight.

Applications to Matron. (2331)

UNITED MANCHESTER HOSPITALS
ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL
MANCHESTER, 13

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Night Sister,** S.R.N., O.N.D., one of two, 44 hour week.

Please apply to Matron. (x2591)

KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL
DENMARK HILL, LONDON, S.E.5

Applications are invited for the post of **Junior Night Sister.**

Apply to Sister Matron, King's College Hospital, giving details of training and experience. (2918)

GUY'S HOSPITAL, LONDON, S.E.1

Applications are invited for the following posts:

Sister in Charge of a busy twin theatre in the Guy's Unit, New Cross Hospital (Orthopaedic; Ear, Nose and Throat; and Gynaecological Ward).

Staff Nurse to deputise for the Night Sister in Charge of the Guy's Unit at New Cross.

This unit is due to transfer to the new Surgical Block at Guy's Hospital in March, 1962.

For further particulars apply the Matron, giving details of training and experience. (x2271)

CHARING CROSS UNIT AT
MOUNT VERNON HOSPITAL
NORTHWOOD, MIDDLESEX

Applications are invited for the post of **Theatre Sister** to take charge of the Theatre in this Unit. General and Orthopaedic Surgery and Gynaecology.

Apply to Matron, Charing Cross Hospital. (2988)

DEVA HOSPITAL
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
CHESTER
DEVA AND MOSTON HOSPITAL
CHESTER

Applications are invited from married couples who are R.M.N. and/or S.R.N. for appointments at Deva and Moston Hospitals, Chester. There are vacancies for **male Staff Nurses** and for **Ward Sisters, Deputy Ward Sisters and women Staff Nurses.**

Married quarters are available at Moston Hospital at moderate rents.

Whitley Council conditions of service.

Eighty-eight hour fortnight.

Apply, in writing, to The Group Secretary, Deva Hospital, Liverpool Road, Chester. (2794)

ROYAL NATIONAL ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL
BROCKLEY HILL
STANMORE, MIDDLESEX
(Post-graduate School of Orthopaedics—University of London)

Applications are invited for the post of **Sister** for our Convalescent Home situated in the hospital grounds. The Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate or orthopaedic experience an advantage. Salary according to the Whitley scale. Post may be resident or non-resident.

Apply to Matron. (2771)

CHARING CROSS HOSPITAL

Applications are invited for the post of **Sister** in the Radiotherapy Department. (2650)

THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN
TADWORTH COURT
TADWORTH, SURREY

Holiday Relief Sister required. Must be S.R.N. and R.S.C.N.

For further details apply to the Sister in Charge. (2838)

SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

STUDENT NURSES—TUBERCULOSIS NURSING TRAINING

There are vacancies for men and women Student Nurses at the undermentioned hospital for training for the Certificate of the British Tuberculosis Association. The course is of two years' duration. Training allowances: first year, £299; second, £315; less £128 for board and lodging.

KING GEORGE'S SANATORIUM FOR SAILORS, BRAMSHOTT PLACE, LIPHOOK, HANTS. (78 beds).

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING AND PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSE TRAINING

There are vacancies for (A) STUDENT NURSES and (B) PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES at the undermentioned hospitals and applications are invited from women (and where indicated from men), aged 18 years upwards, to take the course of three years' general training for State Registration. The course for PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES is of two years' duration. Training allowances between £299-£336 are payable, less £128 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Additional single cash payment of £5 (A) on passing Preliminary State Examination or (B) on completion of training and passing test for enrolment. Four weeks paid leave each year. For full details please apply to the Matron of the hospital concerned.

(A) STUDENT NURSES

CHICHESTER HOSPITALS' SCHOOL OF NURSING. Candidates between 18 and 32 years, with good general education (G.C.E. preferred), accepted for three years' general nursing training at: Royal West Sussex Hospital (200 beds), St. Richard's Hospital (400 beds). Preliminary Schools: January, May and September. Shortened periods for candidates on Supplementary Registers. Forty-four hour week and "study day" system of education. For further information apply to the Principal of the School of Nursing or the Matron of either hospital.

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, CROYDON (200 beds). Block system of training. Schools commence January, April, September annually.

EAST SURREY HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY ROAD, REDHILL, SURREY (141 beds). Female.

FARNHAM HOSPITAL, HALE ROAD, FARNHAM, SURREY (Acute—173 beds, including 10 Maternity). Vacancies in next Preliminary Training School commencing 3rd July, 1961.

KINGSTON HOSPITAL, WOLVERTON AVENUE, KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES, SURREY (503 beds). A few vacancies still exist in the Preliminary Training School commencing 16th June, 1961. Candidates must be well educated and have a real desire to nurse the sick. The hospital is situated in very pleasant surroundings on Kingston Hill and is within easy reach of London. Application forms obtainable from Matron who will arrange for applicants to visit the hospital by appointment.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON, SURREY (594 beds). Resident or non-resident. Study day system. Schools commence April, July and October, 1961, and January, 1962; can be accepted as Nursing Auxiliaries during these dates.

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL, SURREY (531 beds). Vacancies for well educated young ladies (18-30 years) and men Students. Nurses on the Supplementary Part of the Register accepted for reduced period of training. Block system of teaching in force. Forty-four hour working week. Redhill is within easy reach of London and South Coast. Brochure and application forms can be obtained from Matron.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—562 beds). May and September schools. Female, resident or non-resident. Male, non-resident.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, GUILDFORD, SURREY (385 beds).

ST. MARY ABBOTS HOSPITAL, MARLOES ROAD, KENSINGTON, W.8 (General—348 beds). G.C.E. preferred, or equivalent educational standard. Resident for first year

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY, SURREY (394 beds). Vacancies occur for male and female students, age 18-35 years, with good standard of education, in January, May and September each year. Good recreational facilities. Shortened courses for Nurses on the Supplementary Registers.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, CHELSEA, S.W.10 (General—440 beds). G.C.E. Minimum English language and one other subject preferred. Resident.

(B) PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON, SURREY (Geriatric Unit—410 beds). Applications are invited from young men and women who have reached 18 years of age. Entrants will be considered up to the age of 50. Male pupils are non-resident and women may be resident or non-resident. The Preliminary Training School commences on the first day of April, July and October.

ST. BENEDICT'S HOSPITAL, CHURCH LANE, TOOTING, S.W.17 (Chronic Sick and Rehabilitation—254 beds). For May school. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, S.W.9. (362 beds). Hospital provides complete course in acute medical and surgical training, also T.B., fever, gastro-enteritis, E.N.T. and geriatric nursing. There are also opportunities for theatre work.

SWANDEAN HOSPITAL, WORTHING, SUSSEX. Write to Matron for illustrated brochure.

WADDON HOSPITAL, PURLEY WAY, CROYDON (Acute—179 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

WOKING VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WOKING (72 beds). Vacancies October, 1961, schools. Two-year course—special shorter term if previous experience recognised by G.N.C. Pleasant country town, 30 mins. London. Usual recreational amenities.

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QUEEN CHARLOTTE'S MATERNITY HOSPITAL

Midwifery Sister and **Staff Midwi** quired.

Apply to Matron at 339 Goldhawk Hammersmith, W.6. (2

BRISTOL ROYAL HOSPITAL FO SICK CHILDREN
ST. MICHAEL'S HILL, BRISTOL

Vacancies for **State Enrolled Ass Nurses.** Also vacancy for **Medical Sister,** R.S.C.N., S.R.N.

Applications, giving details of age, tr and experience together with names referees, to the Matron. (2

CHELSEA HOSPITAL FOR WOME
DOVEHOUSE STREET, S.W.3

Ward Sster and **Staff Nurses.** Resid non-resident.

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LIVERPOOL REGION CHILDREN HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITT ALDER HEY CHILDREN'S HOSPI LIVERPOOL, 12

Nursing Sisters and **Charge Nurses** for Theatre duties.

Applications to the Matron. (2

QUEEN CHARLOTTE'S MATERNI HOSPITAL

Midwifery Sister and **Staff Midwi** quired.

Apply to Matron at 339 Goldhawk Hammersmith, W.6. (2

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS CHURCHILL HOSPITAL HEADINGTON, OXFORD

Staff Nurse required for Anaesthe partment of a busy Theatre Unit. Ex in this type of work preferred, b essential.

Applications to Matron. (2

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S HOSPITA LONDON, E.C.1

A qualified **Nursery Nurse** is requ work in Maternity Department.

Apply Matron, giving addres referees.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S HOSPITA LONDON, E.C.1

Staff Nurse required for Recovery Thoracic Unit, at Hill End Hospi Albans. Shift system. Post may be r or non-resident.

Apply to Matron, giving particul training, age and experience.

ROYAL NATIONAL ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL BROCKLEY HILL STANMORE, MIDDLESEX (Post-graduate School of Orthopaed University of London)

Applications are invited for the fol (a) **Post-graduate Staff Nurses** wi take the year's Orthopaedic Nursing (b) **Staff Nurses** with the Orth Nursing Certificate or orthopaedic exp

Salaries according to Whitley scale may be resident or non-resident.

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State Registered Nurse holiday relief duties and **Sta Enrolled Assistant Nurse** South-East and South-West Lo don.

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Apply to Matron, with the nam referees.

LIVERPOOL REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications should be sent, with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and accompanied by copies of two recent testimonials (or the names of two referees), to the MATRON OF THE HOSPITAL CONCERNED, from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance with National scales.

ST. HELENS, WARRINGTON AND DISTRICT

THEATRE SISTERS

Warrington General Hospital, (335 beds). Required for very busy Twin Theatre Unit. All types of acute surgery. Resident or non-resident.

SECOND NIGHT SISTER

Warrington Infirmary (170 beds). Required—resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

Alkin Street Hospital (110 beds). Required for Cubicle Unit. S.R.N. Full or part-time.

Warrington Infirmary (170 beds). Required for Male Surgical and Orthopaedic Ward of 26 beds. Resident or non-resident.

Warrington General Hospital (335 beds). Required for Paediatric Surgical Ward (32 beds). S.R.N., R.S.C.N. preferable, or sick children's experience essential. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

Warrington General Hospital (335 beds). Two required for busy twin Theatre Unit.

Whitecross Hospital (236 beds). Required for Geriatric and Psychiatric Units. Male or female. Full-time or part-time. Non-resident.

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Maternity Home, Victoria Park (23 beds). Required, full-time or part-time. Non-resident.

STUDENT NURSES

Warrington Hospital Training School for Nurses. Combined Training School: Warrington General Hospital (335 beds). Warrington Infirmary (170 beds). Girls, with a good standard of education, are accepted for three years' general training from the age of 18 years. Students whose names are on the Supplementary Part of the State Register are accepted for two years' training. Training Schools commence 1st July, 1961, 1st October, 1961, 1st January, 1962. Forms of application and other information are obtainable from the Matron and Superintendent of the Training School, Warrington General Hospital.

CHESTER AND WEST CHESHIRE

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Deva Psychiatric Hospital, Liverpool Road, Chester. R.M.N. and S.R.N. Apply Matron.

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Chester Royal Infirmary, Chester City Hospital. Young ladies, of 18 years and over, are invited to undertake a three-year period of training in the Chester Nurse Training School, which operates the 44 hour working week. The two hospitals, together, provide excellent experience for the student nurse in all the ancillary services including a group pathological laboratory, and physiotherapy and radiological departments. Further details may be obtained from Matron, Chester Royal Infirmary, St. Martin's Fields, Chester.

SOUTHPORT, ORMSKIRK AND DISTRICT

NIGHT SISTER

Ormskirk County Hospital. One of three.

THEATRE SISTER

Ormskirk County Hospital.

WARD SISTERS

Ormskirk County Hospital. One of two.
Brandreth Hospital, Ormskirk.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Ormskirk County Hospital, Maternity Department. S.R.N., S.C.M.

STAFF NURSES

Ormskirk County Hospital. For Acute Surgical and Medical Wards; also for Psychiatric Wards. R.M.N. or R.M.P.A.

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Ormskirk County Hospital.
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STUDENT NURSES

Ormskirk County Hospital. Complete Training School with up-to-date teaching facilities and excellent amenities. Within easy reach of Liverpool, Preston, etc., and within eight miles of the coast. Modern nurses' home with recreational facilities.

STAFF MIDWIVES

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PUPIL MIDWIVES

Ormskirk County Hospital. For June and September, 1961. Part II Training.

LIVERPOOL AND DISTRICT

SISTER TUTOR

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. For school of 450 Student Nurses with staff of Principal and five Tutors. Block study system. Must be S.R.N. and preferably be a Registered Tutor. Male, non-resident. Female, resident if wished.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. Excellent experience for nurse who looks for promotion within her profession. Graded as Departmental Sister, Category 'A'.

THEATRE SUPERINTENDENT

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. For four large theatres. Development plans are already in preparation, and the successful candidate will be afforded the opportunity to take part in the planning of the new department. Post is classified as Departmental Sister, (a), rising to £914 per annum.

WARD SISTER

Home for Invalid Women, 96 Upper Parliament Street, Liverpool, 8 (127 beds).

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Sefton General Hospital, Liverpool, 15 (992 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

Sefton General Hospital, Liverpool, 15 (992 beds). Full-time and part-time.

STAFF NURSES

Sefton General Hospital, Liverpool, 15 (992 beds). Full-time and part-time.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

Home for Invalid Women, 96 Upper Parliament Street, Liverpool, 8 (127 beds).

Sefton General Hospital, Liverpool, 15 (992 beds). Full-time and part-time.

NURSING ASSISTANTS

Sefton General Hospital, Liverpool, 15 (992 beds). Full-time and part-time.

STUDENT NURSES

Sefton General Hospital, Liverpool, 15 (992 beds). Post-registration male and female, for general and/or mental training.

BIRKENHEAD AND WALLASEY

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Thingwall Hospital, Holmwood Drive, Barnston, Wirral. Departmental scale. 40 beds for paediatric cases. The hospital is situated in ideal surroundings and this resident position offers good experience. Salary scale £25 per annum, above all points on the Ward Sister scale.

NIGHT SISTER

General Hospital, Park Road North, Birkenhead (174 bedded General Nurse Training School). The position is for one of three Night Sisters.

WARD SISTER

Victoria Central Hospital, Medical Unit, Mill Lane, Wallasey. For 18 bed Medical Ward. Full and part-time. Resident or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTER

St. Catherine's Hospital, Church Road, Birkenhead. Part I and General Nurse Training School of 466 beds, where there is a good Midwifery Unit. Position offers good experience.

SISTERS

General Hospital, Park Road North, Birkenhead. This post in this 174 bedded General Nurse Training School is a Junior Sister. The position, in the first place, is for duties on a Women's Surgical Ward.

General Hospital, Park Road North, Birkenhead (174 bedded General Nurse Training School). For holiday relief duties.

STAFF NURSES

Victoria Central Hospital, Medical Unit, Mill Lane, Wallasey. For 18 bed Medical Ward. Full and part-time. Resident or non-resident.

Children's Hospital, Woodchurch Road, Birkenhead (64 beds for paediatric cases, in bright, cheerful wards). Position offers good paediatric experience.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

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19, DRUMSHEUGH GARDENS, EDINBURGH 3 (a 48-bedded surgical and medical Home) re-opens on 19th June under the ownership of Nuffield Nursing Homes Trust after complete modernisation, and requires:

Resident Theatre Sister
Floor Sisters
Staff Sisters
State Enrolled Assistant Nurses
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Written applications to the Matron, 98 Oxgangs Terrace, Edinburgh 13.
(2870)

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the resident post of **Ward Sister,** to act as deputy to the Matron, at The Lodge, Effingham, Surrey, a home for 44 female epileptics. Surrey County Council conditions and salary, viz., £656-£840 p.a., less £205 p.a. for board and lodging.

Applications, giving full details and names of two referees, to County Welfare Officer, 2 Palace Road, Kingston-upon Thames, Surrey. (2959)

The United Sheffield Hospitals
THE ROYAL INFIRMARY

NEW CARDIO-THORACIC RECOVERY WARD

Staff required:
Sister.
Staff Nurses.

This unit is to be opened in the near future and will be used for immediate post-operative treatment for patients following major thoracic and cardiac surgery. Experience will be given in the use of heart-lung machine. Previous experience in this type of work not essential.

Apply to Matron. (2936)

United Birmingham Hospitals
THE BIRMINGHAM AND MIDLAND HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN
SHOWELL GREEN LANE, BIRMINGHAM, 11

Junior Sister, S.R.N., midwifery experience, required at this hospital which is a unit of the Queen Elizabeth School of Nursing.

The hospital is situated in a pleasant district and the post can be resident or non-resident.

Please apply to Matron. (2960)

SOUTH-EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

STUDENT NURSES

Vacancies exist at the following hospitals. Training usually lasts three years. An allowance of between £299-£336 is payable during training, less £128 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Dependants' allowances payable where appropriate. Four weeks' paid leave annually. Please apply for full details and application form to the Matron of the hospital concerned.

ST. OLAVE'S SCHOOL OF NURSING

ST. OLAVE'S HOSPITAL, ROTHERHITHE, LONDON, S.E.16

(315 beds)

Receives girls of good general education who wish to become State Registered Nurses. Minimum age 18 years. Terms in the Preliminary Training School commence at three-monthly intervals. Block system of training; duration of course, three years. Nurses on Supplementary Register received for shortened period of training. Hours of duty: 44 per week. Each student has a comfortable bedroom in modern nurses' home. R.C. and C. of E. Churches in grounds. Daily Mass. List now being compiled for school commencing July, 1961. Illustrated brochure and application form obtainable from Matron.

ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL

FOLKESTONE, KENT (160 beds)

There are vacancies for Student Nurses at the above hospital which is a complete Training School for Nurses and is pleasantly situated in this well-known seaside resort, with easy access to the Continent. A good standard of education required. Preliminary Training School—three months. Nurses whose names are on the Supplementary part of the Register accepted as Second Year Nurses.

ROYAL SEA BATHING HOSPITAL

CANTERBURY ROAD, MARGATE (215 beds)

Male and female students aged 18-32. Three-year scheme of general training in participation with Ramsgate and Margate General Hospitals. First year at Royal Sea Bathing Hospital, second and third years at Ramsgate and Margate General Hospitals. Males and females from age 17 accepted for orthopaedic training in conjunction with general training. Hospital situated on seafront near railway station and shops, within easy reach of London by train. Modern Nurses' Home. Residential accommodation available for male and female students. Eighty-eight hour fortnight. Leaflet available from Matron.

GRAVESEND & NORTH KENT HOSPITAL

GRAVESEND, KENT (142 beds)

General Training School for Female Students. Study day system of training. Three-year course including twelve weeks in Central Preliminary Training School. Hospital within easy access of London. Homely residential accommodation available. Nurses on Supplementary Register and S.E.A.N.s accepted for shortened period of training. Brochure available from Matron who will be pleased to interview interested candidates.

There are also vacancies for Student Nurses and Pupil Assistant Nurses at other hospitals in this Region which covers South-East London, Kent and East Sussex. Lists of hospitals recognised as training schools may be obtained on application to the Nursing Officer, South-East Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board, 40 Eastbourne Terrace, London, W.2.

TRAINED NURSES

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committee, applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), to the Matron of the appropriate hospital from whom further details may be obtained.

REGISTERED NURSE TUTORS

Dartford School of Nursing. Nurse Tutor for Preliminary Training School. Experience in Senior School between terms. Flatlet available. Applications to Superintendent of Nurse Training, Bow Arrow Lane, Dartford.

Royal Sea Bathing Hospital, Margate (215 beds at present in use for tuberculous and non-tuberculous orthopaedic conditions, including urological unit of 35 beds and orthopaedic unit of 68 beds). Qualified Nurse Tutor for training of Student Nurses for the Orthopaedic Certificate. Possession of Orthopaedic Certificate an advantage. Res. or non-res.

NIGHT SISTERS

All Saints' Hospital, Chatham (365 beds). For general duties. To be one of four. Busy general Training School.

Hainault Maternity Hospital, Lesney Park Road, Erith (24 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Linton Hospital, Nr. Maidstone (350 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Preston Hall Chest Hospital, Maidstone (313 beds) Relief Night Sister for approximately three months. Experience in nursing of thoracic surgery cases desirable.

Royal Victoria Hospital, Folkestone (General—160 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses. S.R.N. Six nights off in a fortnight.

The Bow Arrow Hospital, Dartford (117 staffed beds). Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

Kent and Canterbury Hospital, Canterbury (Acute General—277 beds). For busy Theatre.

Royal Sea Bathing Hospital, Margate (215 beds at present in use for tuberculous and non-tuberculous orthopaedic conditions, including urological unit of 35 beds and orthopaedic unit of 68 beds). Theatre Sister (Graded as Ward Sister). (One of two for busy Orthopaedic and Urological Theatre, vacant mid-July). Resident or non-resident. 88 hour fortnight.

WARD SISTERS

Bensted House, Ospringe, Faversham (Chronic Sick—103 beds). Non-resident.

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (600-700 staffed beds). Junior Ward Sisters. Also Ward Sister for Chronic Sick Ward. Resident or non-resident.

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BECKENHAM HOSPITAL

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT MATRON

Applications are invited for the post of **ASSISTANT MATRON** to the above hospital. The vacancy will occur in September. This is a general hospital, pleasantly situated, with a modern Out-patients' and Casualty Department. It combines with the Children's Hospital, Sydenham—a total complement of 209 beds— to form a progressive Student Nurse Training School. Experience of administration in a training school or Administration Certificate will be an advantage.

Applications, stating age, qualifications, details of experience, together with names of three referees, should be sent to the Matron, Beckenham Hospital, Croydon Road, Beckenham, Kent, by 27th May.

WARD SISTERS—Contd.

Metropolitan Convalescent Home for Children, Broadstairs (102 beds). (R.S.C.N. desirable.) Resident or non-resident. 88 hour fortnight.

Royal Victoria Hospital, Folkestone (General—160 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses. Sister to assist in P.T.S. and School of Nursing. Vacant due to promotion of present holder.

St. William's Hospital, Rochester (71 beds). Ward Sister for Radiotherapy Ward. Radiotherapy experience an advantage. Resident or non-resident. Applications to Matron, St. Bartholomew's Hospital, Rochester.

WARD SISTERS (RELIEF)

Gravesend and North Kent Hospital, Gravesend (144 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Hill House Hospital, Minster, Ramsgate (178 beds at present in use for Chronic Sick and accommodation for 78 infirm residents). Resident or non-resident. 88 hour fortnight.

Orpington Hospital, Orpington (554 beds). Holiday relief Sisters. Excellent opportunity for Staff Nurses seeking good experience. Resident or non-resident.

Preston Hall Chest Hospital, Maidstone (313 beds). For holiday relief duty. Experience in chest diseases desirable.

Princess Mary's Hospital, Margate (251 beds). (Rehabilitation Hospital for men and women.) Resident or non-resident. 88 hour fortnight.

WARD SISTERS (RELIEF)—Contd.

Royal Sea Bathing Hospital, Margate (215 beds at present in use for tuberculous and non-tuberculous orthopaedic conditions, including urological unit of 35 beds and orthopaedic unit of 68 beds). Resident or non-resident. 88 hour fortnight.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

Kent and Canterbury Hospital, Canterbury (Acute General—277 beds). Busy Theatre.

Orpington Hospital, Orpington (554 beds). For well-equipped theatres. Good experience in all fields of general surgery.

Royal Victoria Hospital, Folkestone (General—160 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

West Kent General Hospital, Maidstone (141 beds). For Theatre duties. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Angas Convalescent Home, Cudham (40 beds). Resident.

Ashford Hospital, Ashford (General—134 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses. For Out-patient and Casualty combined. Also some for night duty. Resident or non-resident.

Buckland Hospital, Dover (General—199 beds), and **Royal Victoria Hospital, Dover** (66 beds), and **Dover Infectious Diseases Hospital** (34 beds). Complete training school for Nurses and Part I Midwifery Training School for S.E.A.N.s and those with no Nursing qualifications. S.R.N. for General Wards, Paediatric Wards, Eye Unit and Cubicle Block. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Faversham Cottage Hospital, Faversh (Acute General—22 beds). Resident non-resident. Fast electric train serv to London and Kent Coast.

Haine Hospital, Ramsgate (50 beds present in use for infectious dis 26 beds for Chronic Sick and Derm logical Unit of 16 beds). 88 hour f night. Resident or non-resident.

Herne Hospital, Herne Common, Herne Bay (Chronic Sick—129 be Resident or non-resident. Two-and-a miles from seaside resort: good ele train service to London and Kent Co

Hill House Hospital, Minster, Ram (178 beds at present in use for chr sick and accommodation for 78 in residents). Res. or non-res. 88 h fortnight.

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (700 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

Kent and Canterbury Hospital, Can bury (Acute General—277 beds). R dent or non-resident.

Kent County Ophthalmic and A Hospital, Maidstone (113 beds). E.N.T. Wards and Theatre. Residen non-resident.

Lenham Chest Hospital, Nr. Maids (168 beds). B.T.A. or S.R.N. Re or non-resident.

Linton Hospital, Nr. Maidstone (beds). Resident or non-resident.

Nunnery Fields Hospital, Canter (Chronic Sick—136 beds). For Ger Unit. Assistant Nurse Training Sch

Preston Hall Chest Hospital, Maids (313 beds). For non-tuberculous w Also Staff Nurses or S.E.A.N.s, part- able to work three nights per w Experience in chest diseases desirable

Princess Mary's Hospital, Margate (habilitation Hospital for men and w —251 beds). Resident or non-re 88 hour fortnight.

Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup, for Male Medical Ward, one for Fe Geriatric Ward and one for Female M cal Ward.

Royal Sea Bathing Hospital, Ma (215 beds at present in use for tu culous and non-tuberculous orthop conditions, including urological unit beds and orthopaedic unit of 68 be Res. or non-res. 88 hour fortnight.

St. Mary's Hospital, Etchinghill, Folkestone (Geriatrics—205 beds, 60 III beds).

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STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Willesborough Hospital, Ashford (General—137 beds). Assistant Nurse Training School. One for Male Medical and one for Male Surgical Ward.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Haine Hospital, Ramsgate (50 beds at present in use for infectious diseases, 6 beds for Chronic Sick and Dermatological Unit of 16 beds). Resident or non-resident. 88 hour fortnight.

Hill House Hospital, Minster, Ramsgate (178 beds at present in use for chronic sick and accommodation for 78 infirm residents). Non-resident. 88 hour fortnight.

Kent County Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital, Maidstone (113 beds). For E.N.T. Wards. Resident or non-resident.

Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup. For Male Medical Ward.

NURSERY NURSES

West Kent General Hospital, Maidstone (141 beds). Resident or non-resident.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES

All Saints' Hospital, Chatham (365 beds). Theatre pupils. Post-registration courses for trained Nurses—four months' course. Busy modern Theatre; certificates given.

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (600-700 staffed beds). Twelve months' course in Theatre and Children's Unit, also four months' course in Anaesthetics. Certificates awarded.

Kent County Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital, Maidstone. The following courses are offered to State Registered Nurses: (a) Twelve months' course for Male or Female in Ophthalmic Nursing Diploma. (b) Twelve months' course (male or female) for the Certificate of the Midland Institute of Otology. (c) Four months' course in the Aural or Ophthalmic Theatre.

KENT—Contd.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES—Contd.

Lenham Chest Hospital, Nr. Maidstone (168 beds). Female S.R.N.s who wish to take 12 months' course for B.T.A. Cert.

Orpington Hospital, Orpington (554 beds). Staff Nurses. Certificated course of six months in Theatre. Further extension possible. Resident or non-resident.

Preston Hall Chest Hospital, Maidstone (313 beds). State Registered Nurses for one year's post-registration course for British Tuberculosis Association's Certificate.

Royal Sea Bathing Hospital, Margate (215 beds at present in use for tuberculous and non-tuberculous orthopaedic conditions, including urological unit of 35 beds and orthopaedic unit of 68 beds). Staff Nurses for Course for Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate.

The West Hill Hospital, Dartford (345 staffed beds). 12 months' and 6 months' course in Gynaecology and Theatre.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Buckland Hospital, Dover (General—199 beds), and **Royal Victoria Hospital, Dover** (66 beds), and **Dover Infectious Diseases Hospital** (34 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery Training School for S.E.A.N.s and those with no nursing qualifications. S.R.N., S.C.M., or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

All Saints' Hospital, Chatham (365 beds). Full or part-time. Part II Training School of 48 beds.

Buckland Hospital, Dover (General—199 beds), and **Royal Victoria Hospital, Dover** (66 beds), and **Dover Infectious Diseases Hospital** (34 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses and Part I Midwifery Training School for S.E.A.N.s and those with no nursing qualifications. S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only Resident or non-resident.

Cray Valley Hospital, St. Paul's Cray. S.R.N., S.C.M., or S.C.M. only. Post may be resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES—Contd.

Kent and Canterbury Hospital, Canterbury (Acute General—277 beds). Part II Midwifery Training School. Resident or non-resident.

The Livingstone Hospital, Dartford (48 staffed beds). Resident or non-resident.

The West Hill Hospital, Dartford (345 staffed beds). Resident or non-resident.

West Kent General Hospital, Maidstone (141 beds). Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

All Saints' Hospital, Chatham (365 beds). Part II Training School of 48 beds; vacancies in September school.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Ashford Hospital, Ashford (General—134 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses. For General Ward duties. Resident or non-resident.

Bensted House, Ospringe, Nr. Faversham (Chronic Sick—103 beds). Non-resident.

Eastry Hospital, Sandwich (M.D.—238 beds). Non-resident.

Haine Hospital, Ramsgate (50 beds at present in use for infectious diseases, 26 beds for Chronic Sick and Dermatological unit of 16 beds). Resident or non-resident. 88 hour fortnight.

Herne Hospital, Herne Common, Nr. Herne Bay (Chronic Sick—129 beds). Two-and-a-half miles from seaside resort; good electric service to London and Kent Coast.

Hill House Hospital, Minster, Ramsgate (178 beds at present in use for chronic sick and accommodation for 78 infirm residents). Res. or non-res. 88 hour fortnight.

Hothfield Hospital, Nr. Ashford (Chronic Sick — 148 beds). Assistant Nurse Training School.

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (600-700 staffed beds). Resident or non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Linton Hospital, Nr. Maidstone (350 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Preston Hall Chest Hospital, Maidstone (313 beds). For alternate day and night duty. Facilities available to train for British Tuberculosis Association's Certificate.

Princess Mary's Hospital, Margate (Rehabilitation hospital for men and women — 251 beds). Resident or non-resident. 88 hour fortnight.

Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup. Full-time or part-time. Day or night duty.

St. Mary's Hospital, Etchinghill, Nr. Folkestone (Geriatrics—205 beds, Part III — 80 beds). S.E.A.N.s or Nursing Auxiliaries.

The Bow Arrow Hospital, Dartford (117 beds). For night duty. Resident or non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Linton Hospital, Nr. Maidstone (350 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup. Full or part-time. Day or night duty.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

Ashford Hospital, Ashford (General—134 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses. Must be over 18 years of age. Previous experience not essential. Resident or non-resident.

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (600-700 staffed beds). Resident or non-resident.

Lenham Chest Hospital, Nr. Maidstone (168 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Preston Hall Chest Hospital, Maidstone (313 beds). Female, for alternate day and night duty. Some previous nursing experience desirable.

The West Hill Hospital, Dartford (345 staffed beds). For Male Geriatric Ward. Non-resident.

REGISTERED NURSE TUTORS

Dulwich Hospital, East Dulwich Grove, S.E.22 (General — 423 beds). Block system of training. Resident or non-resident.

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General Training School—605 beds). To assist Principal Tutor (increase in Tutorial staff). Resident or non-resident.

Maudsley Hospital, Denmark Hill, S.E.5 (Psychiatric—500 beds). Assistant Tutor required. Resident or non-resident.

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (180 beds). To assist Principal Tutor. Block system of training. Resident or non-resident.

St. Olave's Hospital, Lower Road, Rotherhithe, S.E.16 (311 beds). Increase Tutorial staff. Qualified Tutor required. Resident or non-resident.

HOME SISTERS

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, S.E.12. (Category 'B' post.)

Memorial Hospital, Shooters Hill, Woolwich, S.E.18 (137 beds). 62 rooms. General Training School. Resident.

St. Olave's Hospital, Lower Road, Rotherhithe, S.E.16 (311 beds). For Day General Hospital. Applicants should be interested in the training, welfare and social activities of the student nurses. Post also affords opportunities for administrative experience.

NIGHT SISTERS

Brook General Hospital, Shooters Hill Road, S.E.18 (551 beds).

Eltham & Mottingham Hospital, Passey Place, S.E.9 (49 beds). For Medical and Surgical Ward.

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13. Resident or non-resident.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (593 beds).

St. Olave's Hospital, Lower Road, Rotherhithe, S.E.16 (311 beds). S.R.N. with Ward Sister's experience. Post is one of two Sisters under Night Superintendent.

THEATRE SISTERS

Brook General Hospital, Shooters Hill Road, S.E.18 (551 beds). For extension of work in Thoracic Surgery.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (593 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

St. Olave's Hospital, Lower Road, Rotherhithe, S.E.16 (311 beds). To work under Departmental Sisters.

SOUTH-EAST LONDON

THEATRE SISTERS—Contd.

The Miller General Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (180 beds). One of two working under a Departmental Sister. Resident or non-resident.

WARD SISTERS

Brook General Hospital, Shooters Hill Road, S.E.18 (551 beds). Ward Sisters required for the following: S.R.N., R.S.C.N. for Medical Children's Ward (28 beds); for Female Geriatric Ward (25 beds). Progressive Unit; for Female Thoracic Surgery Ward; for Neurosurgery Ward.

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12. Ward Sisters to act as second Sisters on 40-50 bedded units. Suitable for Staff Nurses seeking first post as Sister. Also **WARD SISTERS** or **CHARGE NURSE** for Male Medical Ward.

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (I.D., General and E.N.T.). Ward Sisters required, S.R.N., R.S.C.N. One required for Children's Surgical Ward, mainly E.N.T.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (593 beds). Ward Sister, resident, to assist Home Sister; one for Geriatric Ward.

St. Nicholas Hospital, Tewson Road, Plumstead, S.E.18 (345 beds). Ward Sisters. One of three for theatre duties; and one of three for Casualty Department.

St. Olave's Hospital, Lower Road, Rotherhithe, S.E.16 (311 beds). Ward Sisters for Geriatric Ward of 30 beds.

WARD SISTERS (RELIEF)

Eltham & Mottingham Hospital, Passey Place, S.E.9 (49 beds). For holiday relief duties.

St. Nicholas Hospital, Tewson Road, Plumstead, S.E.18 (345 beds). For holiday relief duties.

St. Olave's Hospital, Lower Road, Rotherhithe, S.E.16 (311 beds). For holiday relief duties.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

Dulwich Hospital, East Dulwich Grove, S.E.22 (423 beds). For new twin operating suite—good general surgery experience.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES—Contd.

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green S.E.13. One required for E.N.T. work.

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General—605 beds). Male and Female.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (593 beds).

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12. Resident or non-resident.

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General—605 beds). Non-resident.

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (435 beds). For Geriatric and Long-stay Wards. Non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Albert Dock Hospital, Alnwick Road, E.16 (55 beds).

Brook General Hospital, Shooters Hill Road, S.E.18 (551 beds). For Medical Wards, Children's Ward and Theatre.

Dreadnought Seamen's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (149 beds). For Acute Medical and Surgical Wards.

Dulwich Hospital, East Dulwich Grove, S.E.22 (423 beds). For Medical and Surgical Wards.

Eltham & Mottingham Hospital, Passey Place, S.E.9 (49 beds). For Wards and Out-patient Department.

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12. Full-time. For Ward duties, also part-time for day or night duty.

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (I.D., General and E.N.T.). For Cubicle nursing and Medical Wards. Res. or non-res.

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General—605 beds). Staff Nurses, also some with Premature Baby experience for Premature Baby Unit. Resident or non-resident.

Memorial Hospital, Shooters Hill, S.E.18. Staff Nurses required for Casualty Unit with interesting accident work; also for busy Men's Surgical Ward.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

New Cross General Hospital, Avonley Road, New Cross, S.E.14 (341 beds). For Medical and Geriatric Wards.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (593 beds). For duties in General Wards and Out-patient Department, and one R.S.C.N. for Children's Ward.

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (435 beds). For Geriatric and Long-stay Wards. Full or part-time.

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5 (343 beds) General Training School. S.R.N.s for Acute Wards.

St. John's Hospital, Morden Hill, Lewisham. S.E.13 (General—142 beds). For Medical or Surgical Ward.

St. Nicholas Hospital, Tewson Road, Plumstead, S.E.18 (345 beds). For General Wards.

St. Olave's Hospital, Lower Road, Rotherhithe, S.E.16 (311 beds). For Medical and Surgical Wards. Resident or non-resident.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES

Brook General Hospital, Shooters Hill Road, S.E.18. For trained Nurses—six months' course in Thoracic and Cardiac Surgery at Regional Unit.

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12. S.R.N.s who wish to take one year's course for B.T.A. Certificate or six months' course in Thoracic Surgery Unit.

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13. One year's course in E.N.T. Unit. Certificate awarded, or one year's training for S.R.N.s for Fever Register.

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13. One year's course in Theatre, or six months' course in Out-patients' Department. Certificate awarded, or six months' course in Premature Baby Unit.

Memorial Hospital, Woolwich, S.E.18. For trained Nurses—six months' theatre experience or in Casualty and Out-patient Department.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10. Six months' experience in Theatre or Casualty and Out-patient Departments with possible extension—current vacancies. Certificate awarded.

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SOUTH-EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES—Contd.

St. Olave's Hospital, Lower Road, Rotherhithe, S.E.16 (311 beds). S.R.N. received for Theatre Course of six months' duration.

The Miller General Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (180 beds). Six months' experience in Theatre or Casualty and Out-patients' Department. Certificate awarded.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

British Hospital for Mothers and Babies, Samuel Street, Woolwich, S.E.18 (54 beds). Paediatric and Lactation Sister for clinics and responsible for Premature Baby Unit (12 cots). Mother and Baby Unit (2 beds) and Sick Baby Unit (2 cots).

Dulwich Hospital, East Dulwich Grove, S.E.22 (423 beds). Part I Midwifery Training School. 54 beds. Two years Midwifery experience. Must be interested in teaching pupil midwives.

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5. For First Period Training School for Central Midwives' Board Examination. 60 bedded Unit. Must be interested in teaching Pupil Midwives. Normal and abnormal midwifery.

SOUTH-EAST LONDON—Contd.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, Lewisham, S.E.13 (Part II Training School—64 Maternity beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (Maternity—53 beds). Part I Training School. S.R.N., S.C.M.

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5. For First Period Training School for Central Midwifery. Full-time or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5. Vacancies exist for Pupil Midwives for preparation for First Period Examination of Central Midwives' Board. Vacancies 1st August, November and February. Resident or non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General—605 beds). Non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)—Contd.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (593 beds). For duties in General, T.B. and Geriatric Wards. Non-resident.

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (435 beds). For Geriatric and Long-stay Wards. Non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Dreadnought Seamen's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (149 beds).

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12. Training offered for B.T.A. Certificate. Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (I.D., General and E.N.T.). Resident or non-resident.

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (180 beds). Part-time only, for day or night duty in wards.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

New Cross General Hospital, Avery Road, New Cross, S.E.14 (341 beds). Full-time or part-time. Day or night duty.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (593 beds). For duties in General and T.B. Wards and Geriatric Ward. Resident or non-resident.

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (435 beds). Full or part-time. Geriatric and Long-stay Wards.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12. Res. or non-res.

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (I.D., General and E.N.T.). Female. Resident or non-resident.

New Cross General Hospital, Avery Road, New Cross, S.E.14 (341 beds). Full or part-time. Res. or non-res.

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5 (343 beds). Non-resident. 44 hour week. For Acute and Maternity Wards. One female and one male required.

EAST SUSSEX

ASSISTANT MATRON

required for a fully-staffed, well-equipped **MATERNITY HOME** of 27 beds. Applications, with names of two referees, to Matron, Maternity Home, Upperton Road, Eastbourne.

HOME SISTER

Sussex Maternity Hospital, Brighton (62 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. for some administrative duties.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

Royal East Sussex Hospital, Hastings (146 beds). Resident. Acute Surgical Unit of Group Training School. Good experience in administrative duties.

WARD SISTERS

All Saints' Hospital, Meads, Eastbourne (Geriatric beds, all female—101). Resident or non-resident (for the opening of additional beds).

Newhaven Downs Hospital, Newhaven (132 beds). S.R.N. General Ward work. Resident or non-resident.

WARD SISTERS (RELIEF)

Bevendean Hospital, Brighton (165 beds). Sister required—temporary, owing to sickness. S.R.N., B.T.A. or experience in a Chest Hospital an advantage. Duties to be those of a Relief Sister. Resident or non-resident.

Chailey Heritage (Craft School and Hospital), North Chailey, Nr. Lewes (300 bed Children's Orthopaedic Hospital). Full or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

Cuckfield Hospital, Cuckfield, Nr. Haywards Heath (General—372 beds).

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

New Sussex Hospital, Brighton (73 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident. Alternate week-ends off duty.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

All Saints' Hospital, Meads, Eastbourne (Geriatric beds—101, all Female). Resident or non-resident (for the opening of additional beds).

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Bevendean Hospital, Brighton (165 beds). S.R.N. for day and night duty on medical wards. Good experience in Diseases of Heart and Chest.

Chailey Heritage (Craft School and Hospital), North Chailey, Nr. Lewes (Children's Orthopaedic Hospital — 300 beds). For General Ward duties; and one for Girl's Ambulant Department, and one for Babies Ward. Resident or non-resident.

Cuckfield Hospital, Cuckfield, Nr. Haywards Heath (General—372 beds). Full or part-time. For Theatre, Orthopaedic and Surgical Wards.

Hove General Hospital, Hove, 3 (75 beds). S.R.N. for Acute Medical and Surgical Wards.

Newhaven Downs Hospital, Newhaven (132 beds). S.R.N. General Ward work. Day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.

New Sussex Hospital, Brighton (73 beds). S.R.N. for permanent night duty on Private Wards. Eight nights on and six nights off. Resident or non-resident.

Pouchlands Hospital, South Chailey, Nr. Lewes. Easy access South Coast. Pleasant country area. Resident or non-resident.

Royal East Sussex Hospital, Hastings (146 beds). For Eye Ward, with experience preferred.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Pouchlands Hospital, South Chailey, Nr. Lewes (205 beds). Easy access South Coast. Pleasant country area. Non-resident.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES

Bevendean Hospital, Brighton (165 beds). S.R.N.s, female, interested in Diseases of Chest and Heart, offered a 12 months' course for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Salary and status as Staff Nurse. Resident or non-resident. Also S.E.A.N.s male and female, who are interested in the Diseases of the Chest and Heart, are offered a two-year course for the British Association Certificate. Salary and status as Assistant Nurses. Resident or non-resident. Resident accommodation for female staff only.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Brighton General Hospital, Brighton (663 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

Sussex Maternity Hospital, Brighton (62 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

All Saints' Hospital, Meads, Eastbourne (Geriatric beds, all Female—101). For the opening of additional beds. Resident or non-resident.

Bevendean Hospital, Brighton (165 beds). For day and night duty on medical wards. Good experience in Diseases of Heart and Chest.

Chailey Heritage (Craft School and Hospital), North Chailey, Nr. Lewes (300 bed Children's Orthopaedic Hospital). Resident or non-resident.

Cuckfield Hospital, Cuckfield, Nr. Haywards Heath (General—372 beds). Resident.

Goddards Green Hospital, Gatehouse Lane, Goddards Green, Nr. Hassocks. Res. or non-res. Transport available.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Hove General Hospital, Hove, 3 (beds). For day and night duty.

Maternity Home, Upperton Road, Eastbourne (27 beds). Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

Pouchlands Hospital, South Chailey, Nr. Lewes (205 beds). Easy access South Coast. Pleasant country area. Resident or non-resident.

Sussex Maternity Hospital, Brighton (62 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Bevendean Hospital, Brighton (beds). For day and night duty medical wards. Good experience Diseases of Heart and Chest.

Chailey Heritage (Craft School and Hospital), North Chailey, Nr. Lewes (bed Children's Orthopaedic Hospital Resident or non-resident.

Cuckfield Hospital, Cuckfield, Nr. Haywards Heath (General—372 beds). Resident.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

All Saints' Hospital, Meads, Eastbourne (101 Geriatric beds, all female). FEMALE

Bevendean Hospital, Brighton (beds). Female, preferably with previous experience.

Cuckfield Hospital, Cuckfield, Nr. Haywards Heath (General—372 beds). Resident or non-resident.

Goddards Green Hospital, Gatehouse Lane, Goddards Green, Nr. Hassocks. Female. Resident or non-resident. Transport available.

Hove General Hospital, Hove, 3 (beds). Female. For day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

Pouchlands Hospital, South Chailey, Nr. Lewes. Easy access South Coast. Pleasant country area. Female. Resident or non-resident.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

ST. FRANCIS AND HURSTWOOD PARK HOSPITALS HAYWARDS HEATH

(1,129 beds)

SISTER TUTOR (S.R.N. and R.M.N.) (female) required. A new training school within the grounds of the hospitals which cover the whole range of psychiatry, neurology and neurosurgery has recently been erected. Hospitals may be visited by arrangement.

Applications to Secretary.

CHARGE NURSE

Princess Christian's Hospital, Hildenborough, Nr. Tonbridge, Kent (206 beds). Registered Nurse for Mentally Subnormal. Applications to the Superintendent.

DEPUTY CHARGE NURSE

The West Hill Hospital, Dartford (345 staffed beds). For Psychiatric Unit. Non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Brighton General Hospital, Brighton (663 beds). S.R.M.N. for Psycho-Geriatric Unit.

Princess Christian's Hospital, Hildenborough, Nr. Tonbridge, Kent (206 beds). Registered Nurse for Mentally Subnormal. Applications to the Superintendent.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (41 Female Mental Observation beds). Full and part-time.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Princess Christian's Hospital, Hildenborough, Nr. Tonbridge, Kent (206 beds). Registered Nurse for Mentally Subnormal. Applications to the Superintendent.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)—Contd.

St. Francis' Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (41 Male Mental Observation beds). Full-time. Non-resident.

The West Hill Hospital, Dartford, Kent (345 staffed beds). Non-resident. For Psychiatric Unit.

NURSING ASSISTANTS

Brighton General Hospital, Brighton (663 beds). **FEMALE** for Psycho-Geriatric Unit.

Eastry Hospital, Sandwich, Kent (—238 beds). Female. Non-resident.

Princess Christian's Hospital, Hildenborough, Nr. Tonbridge, Kent (beds). Male and female. Single residential accommodation is available.

WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD, SCOTLAND

NURSING STAFF VACANCIES

ASSISTANT MATRONS

LENNOX CASTLE HOSPITAL, Lennoxtown, Nr. Glasgow. Must be R.G.N. and R.N.M.D. Resident or non-resident. Applications, giving full details, together with names of two referees, to the Group Physician Superintendent.

CLELAND HOSPITAL, Cleland, Lanarkshire (General, mainly Geriatric—230 beds). Enrolled Assistant Nurse Training School.

STIRLING ROYAL INFIRMARY, Livilands, Stirling (284 beds). Training School for General Training, Parts I and II Midwifery Training. Second Assistant Matron. S.R.N., S.C.M. Alternating day and night duty.

ASSISTANT MATRON AND HOME SISTER (Combined Post)

KILMARNOCK INFIRMARY, Kilmarnock, Ayrshire (147 beds). An Acute General Hospital with Out-patient and Casualty Departments. Nurse Training School. Salary scale £788-£914. Duties commence July, 1961.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

STIRLING ROYAL INFIRMARY, Livilands, Stirling (284 beds). Training School for General Training. Parts I and II Midwifery Training.

PRINCIPAL SISTER TUTOR

SEAFIELD SICK CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, Ayr. Required for Combined Training School for the Ayr Hospitals. (Ayr County Hospital, 122 Surgical beds; Seafield Hospital, 149 Medical beds; Seafield Sick Children's Hospital, 112 Children's beds). The school is situated at Seafield Sick Children's Hospital and embraces the general, sick children's and psychiatric fields. Applications to Matron, Seafield Sick Children's Hospital, Ayr.

SISTER TUTORS

SEAFIELD SICK CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, Ayr. Required for Combined Training School for the Ayr Hospitals. (Ayr County Hospital, 122 Surgical beds; Seafield Hospital, 149 Medical beds; Seafield Sick Children's Hospital, 112 Children's beds). The school is situated at Seafield Sick Children's Hospital and embraces the general, sick children's and psychiatric fields. Applications to Matron, Seafield Sick Children's Hospital, Ayr.

DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY ROYAL INFIRMARY, Dumfries (323 beds). Nurse Tutor, registered, for Preliminary Training School.

GREENOCK ROYAL INFIRMARY and LARKFIELD HOSPITAL, Greenock (386 beds). (Second of two.) With certificate preferred.

STONEHOUSE HOSPITAL, Stonehouse, Lanarkshire (General—500 beds).

CLINICAL INSTRUCTORS

GLASGOW ROYAL INFIRMARY, 84 Castle Street, Glasgow, C.4 (General—518 beds). Two vacancies for the Alternative Course of Nurse Training.

MIDWIFERY SUPERINTENDENT

GLASGOW ROYAL INFIRMARY, 84 Castle Street, Glasgow, C.4. Required for new Maternity Unit (51 beds) opening in the Summer at Belvidere Hospital. Applications, in writing, to Matron, Glasgow Royal Infirmary.

SISTER IN CHARGE OF MIDWIFERY DEPARTMENT

STIRLING ROYAL INFIRMARY, Livilands, Stirling (284 beds). Training School for General Training. Parts I and II Midwifery Training. S.R.N., S.C.M., M.T.D.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

STOBHILL GENERAL HOSPITAL, Glasgow, N.1 (Teaching—1,000 beds). For Labour Room.

HOME SISTER

GARTLOCH HOSPITAL, Garteosh, Glasgow (Mental and General Medical—963 beds).

WARD SISTER

FALKIRK AND DISTRICT ROYAL INFIRMARY, Major's Loan, Falkirk (309 beds). General and Midwifery Training School. One vacancy for Surgical Ward.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

FALKIRK AND DISTRICT ROYAL INFIRMARY, Major's Loan, Falkirk (309 beds). General and Midwifery Training School, December, 1961. Parts I and II.

LENNOX CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Lennoxtown, Nr. Glasgow. S.R.N. or R.G.N. for Parts I and II Training.

KILMARNOCK MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Kilmarnock (39 beds). Part II Training School. Three vacancies.

ROBROYSTON HOSPITAL, Glasgow, E.3. S.R.N., R.G.N., for Parts I and II. Block system for Part I and weekly study day.

POST-REGISTRATION STUDENT NURSES

RUCHILL HOSPITAL, Glasgow, N.W. (616 beds). Infectious Diseases (mainly acute), Chest, Medical and Surgical Units. Polio and Respiratory Infection Unit. For one year Fever Training. Vacancies 1st June and 1st September, 1961.

AYRSHIRE CENTRAL HOSPITAL, Irvine, Ayrshire (286 beds). Infectious Diseases Section. Training School for G.N.C. Fever Certificate. Vacancies for General Trained Nurses for one year Fever Training. Staff Nurse grade. Salary £441 per annum with £136 deducted for board and lodging. Resident or non-resident.

KILMARNOCK INFIRMARY, Kilmarnock, Ayrshire (147 beds). Six vacancies for two years' training for General Certificate.

Whitley Council salary scales and conditions of service will apply to the above appointments.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience and names of two referees, to be sent to the Matron of the respective hospital unless otherwise stated above.

Particulars of Nurse Training Schools and other vacancies may be obtained from the Regional Nursing Officer, Western Regional Hospital Board, 351 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow, C.2. (2940)

UGANDA

Queen Elizabeth's Overseas Nursing Service

Nursing Sisters, S.R.N. S.C.M. are required. Appointment on contract/gratuity.

Salary £981 rising by annual increments of £33 then £36 then £39 to £1,173. Passages paid out and for home leave after contract. 21-22 months. Leave is earned at the rate of 5 days for each completed month of service.

Apply to: OVERSEAS NURSING ASSOCIATION, 1, Sanctuary Buildings, Great Smith Street, Westminster, London, S.W.1 (5)

ST. PETER'S, ST. PAUL'S AND ST. PHILIP'S HOSPITALS
COVENT GARDEN, W.C.2

Post-graduate Teaching Hospitals in Urology

Applications are invited for the post of **Sister** of the Metabolic Ward. Experience in urological work an advantage.

Applications to the Matron, St. Peter's Hospital, W.C.2. (2434)

The United Sheffield Hospitals
ROYAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 1

Two Junior Ward Sisters required. Excellent experience to be gained in general medicine and surgery.

Applications, with names and addresses of two referees, to the Matron. (2935)

The United Sheffield Hospitals
CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 10

(205 beds)

Relief Sister required for holidays and night duty. Possibly leading to a permanent appointment.

Apply to Matron with names and addresses of three referees. (2933)

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S HOSPITAL, LONDON, E.C.1

Applications are invited for the post of

Staff Midwife.

Apply Matron, giving details of training and subsequent experience. (27)

THE NATIONAL HOSPITAL, QUEEN SQUARE, LONDON, W.C.1.
and
MAIDA VALE HOSPITAL, W.9.

(Neurology, Neurosurgery, Respiratory Failure Unit).

These Post-Graduate Hospitals offer unique experience to Qualified Nurses (S.R.N.) and Enrolled Nurses (S.E.A.N.).

Appointments may be held for temporary periods—part-time posts are available. Residence optional.

Apply, in writing, to Matron, The National Hospital, W.C.1. (2403)

RUBERY HILL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM

STAFF NURSES and WARD SISTERS, FEMALE DIVISION

Applications are invited from qualified Mental Nurses (dual qualification desirable) for the above-mentioned vacancies, working alternate week-ends with the possible introduction of a shift system. New nurses' home will shortly be opened.

Full details of training and experience, together with names and addresses of two referees, to the Matron, Rubery Hill Hospital, Rubery, Birmingham. (2727)

THE ACLAND NURSING HOME
OXFORD

(For acute medical and surgical patients)

S.R.N. required for Operating Theatre—immediately. Also vacancy occurring for **S.R.N.** for general duties. Special salary scale from £30 per month, resident. Three annual increments of £25. Starting salary according to previous hospital experience. Board and lodging not subject to income tax. Holiday allowances, sick pay and superannuation.

Apply to the Matron, with references. (2756)

CANADA

State Registered Nurses required for modern 300-bed general hospital. Salary commencing at $285.00 (£100) per month, when registration has been established in the Province of Ontario. Excellent conditions of service. Fares advanced.

This is one of the loveliest parts of Canada and is both a summer and a winter sports resort.

For full information write, airmail, to Director of Nursing, The General Hospital of Port Arthur, Port Arthur, Ontario, Canada. (76/2)

NORTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

North and West London, Bedfordshire and parts of Middlesex, Hertfordshire, Berkshire and Buckinghamshire

Applications are invited for the following appointments which should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) TO THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL, unless otherwise stated, from whom further details may be obtained. National salary scales apply.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

FIRST ASSISTANT MATRON

Barnet General Hospital, Wellhouse Lane, Barnet, Herts. (Complete General Training School—571 beds). Applications are invited for the resident post of First Assistant Matron. S.R.N., S.C.M. Administrative Certificate an advantage. Post vacant due to present holder's promotion to Deputy Matron. Further particulars and application form from the Matron.

QUALIFIED TUTORS (MALE or FEMALE)

Luton and Dunstable Hospital, Luton, Beds. (Busy General Hospital and Training School for Nurses—306 beds). Res. or non-resident. Required to take charge of P.T.S.

St. Albans City Hospital, Normandy Road, St. Albans (General Training School —394 beds). Res. or non-res. Qualified.

PRELIMINARY TRAINING SCHOOL TUTOR

Lister Hospital, Hitchin, Herts. (General Training School). Res. or non-res. Good teaching department. Hospital can be visited by arrangement with Matron.

SISTER TUTORS

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, W.9 (550 beds). Res. or non-res. (Qualified.) One of three working under a Principal Tutor. Complete general Nurse Training School.

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, W.10 (General—575 beds). Res. or non-res. Qualified.

REGISTERED NURSE TUTORS (MALE or FEMALE)

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (610 beds). Comprising general and tuberculosis beds. Hospital is the Regional Thoracic Surgical Centre. Res. or non-res. To work with the Senior Nurse Tutor in Harefield and Northwood Group Preliminary Training School. Three schools per year, maximum 40 students in each. Opportunity to teach all subjects in rotation.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,101 beds). Res. or non-res. Male or female. Two Tutors required owing to recent increase in tutorial staff. Block system of tuition. Opportunity of gaining experience in Preliminary Training Schools and Senior Schools. Applicants must be Registered Nurse Tutors.

HOME SISTERS

Lister Hospital, Hitchin, Herts. (General Training School—373 beds). Res. or non-res.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, W.C.1 (180 beds). Resident.

ASSISTANT HOME SISTER

Barnet General Hospital, Wellhouse Lane, Barnet, Herts. (490 beds). New post in complete charge of Preliminary Training School Nurses Home. Temporary post for approximately six months.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford (204 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. Complete Training School for Nurses.

Lister Hospital, Hitchin, Herts. (General Training School—373 beds). Res. or non-res. Assistant Matron status.

Luton and Dunstable Hospital, Luton, Beds. (Busy General Hospital and Training School for Nurses—306 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for a 44 hour week.

National Temperance Hospital, Hampstead Road, London, N.W.1 (General—158 beds). Res. or non-res. General Training School. Post interchangeable with that of Second Assistant Matron.

West Hendon Hospital, Goldsmith Ave., Hendon, N.W.9 (Medical, Infectious Diseases, Poliomyelitis—112 beds). Which is within easy reach of the centre of London. Res. or non-res. S.R.N. Experience essential in the management of poliomyelitis patients with respiratory paralysis.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS—Contd.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,100 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. required, due to retirement of present holder. Salary £877-£1,003. Emoluments — £240 p.a. Sixteen Night Sisters are employed, plus trained staff in Departments and Neurosurgical Unit. Previous administrative experience advisable. The hospital is situated within easy reach of the West End.

NIGHT SISTER/ MALE CHARGE NURSE

Neasden Hospital, Brentfield Road, N.W.10 (Ophthalmic, Infectious and Long-stay — 207 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and R.F.N. One of three working with Night Superintendent. Ability to teach Student Nurses essential.

NIGHT SISTERS

Barnet General Hospital, Wellhouse Lane, Barnet, Herts. (490 beds). One of four under Night Superintendent.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (610 beds). Res. or non-res. One of six working under Night Superintendent.

Harpenden Memorial Hospital, Carlton Road, Harpenden, Herts. (General Surgery, Children, Midwifery—34 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

THEATRE SISTERS

Ashford Hospital, London Road, Ashford, Middlesex (562 beds). Res. or non-res. One of three working under Theatre Supt. 44 hour week, alternate week-ends on duty.

Barnet General Hospital, Wellhouse Lane, Barnet, Herts. (490 beds). Res. or non-res. For night duty.

Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, N.W.10 (721 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. required for Anaesthetic Room; **ALSO** one S.R.N.

Children's Annexe of Luton and Dunstable Hospital, London Road, Luton, Beds. (56 beds). Resident. Applications to Matron, Luton and Dunstable Hospital, Luton, Beds.

Lister Hospital, Hitchin, Herts. (General Training School—373 beds). Resident.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middx. (1,089 beds). Res. or non-res. Five busy Theatres offering wide experience.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,101 beds). Res. or non-res. For General Theatre, to work under supervision of Theatre Superintendent. Candidate will be required to do a period of night duty, but no night calls. Suitable post for Staff Nurse wishing to gain further experience. Must have had one year's theatre experience.

WHITTINGTON HOSPITAL, LONDON, N.19

(1,100 beds)

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER (CATEGORY "B")

required for Out-patient Department in June, 1961, due to retirement of present holder.

For further details please apply to Matron.

Iver, Denham and Langley Cottage Hospital, Iver, Bucks. (29 beds). Res. or non-res. For modern General Practitioner Cottage Hospital.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Old Windsor Unit.

Lister Hospital, Hitchin, Herts. (General Training School—373 beds). Res. or non-res. For Accident Service and general duties.

National Temperance Hospital, Hampstead Road, N.W.1 (General—158 beds). Res. or non-res. Working under Night Superintendent.

New End Hospital, New End, Hampstead, London, N.W.3 (220 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for the end of June.

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, W.10 (General—575 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Mary's Cottage Hospital, Hampton, Middlesex (24 beds). Required for small acute hospital. Good surgical experience. Three nights off per week.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street and Queen Square, London, W.C.1 (180 beds). Res. or non-res. One of three. **SENIOR** post.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,101 beds). Res. or non-res. 44 hour week, three nights off each week.

SECOND NIGHT SISTER

Hounslow Hospital, Staines Road, Hounslow, Middlesex (General Acute—75 beds). Res. or non-res. Suitable appointment for experienced Staff Nurse.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, London, N.W.10 (Maternity Unit —86 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. S.C.M.

Luton Maternity Hospital, 770 Dunstable Road, Luton, Beds. (78 beds). Res. or non-res. Facilities for studying for M.T.D.

Perivale Maternity Hospital, Western Avenue, Greenford, Middx. Required for administrative duties, temporary post of three to four months duration. **SENIOR** post.

Welwyn Garden City Maternity Hospital, Peartree Lane, Welwyn Garden City (Part II Midwifery Training School—30 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

Roxbourne Hospital, Rayners Lane, South Harrow, Middlesex (52 beds). A Geriatric Unit which is within easy reach by Underground Railway of the centre of London. Resident S.R.N. required to relieve Matron for off duty and holidays and to assist generally in the running of the wards. Apply, in writing, stating age, qualifications and experience, to the Matron. **REQUIRED IN JULY.**

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER (Category "A")

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (610 beds). Resident. To assist in Matron's office for six months for holiday duties, to commence as soon as possible. Excellent experience for someone intending to do administrative work.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS (Category "B")

Letchworth Hospital, Baldock Road, Letchworth, Herts. (General Practitioner —30 beds). Resident. To deputise for Matron.

St. Mary's Hospital, Luton, Beds. (161 beds). Resident. Home Sister with administrative duties. Suitable post for person wishing to gain administrative experience.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,101 beds). Res. or non-res. For Out-patients' Department, due to retirement of present holder in June.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

Lister Hospital, Hitchin, Herts. (General Training School—373 beds). Res. or non-res.

SISTERS IN CHARGE

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For E.N.T. Department (Theatre and Out-patients). Windsor Unit.

Wembley Hospital, Wembley, Middx. (Acute General Hospital — 132 beds). Res. or non-res. Psychiatric Unit for men and women. Newly adapted self-contained unit (10 beds). Hospital within easy access of Central London. S.R.N., R.M.N.

WARD SISTERS

Abbots Langley Hospital, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. Res. or non-res. Elderly patients, some with psychiatric disabilities. Apply to Matron.

Barnet General Hospital, Wellhouse Lane, Barnet, Herts. (490 beds). Res. or non-res. Junior post in Acute Female Surgical Ward.

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford (204 beds). Res. or non-res. For Medical Ward.

Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, N.W.10 (721 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for Preliminary Training School; excellent experience for a Sister contemplating taking Sister Tutor's course.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Barnet, Herts. (Tuberculosis and Chest, 334 beds). Res. or non-res. **JUNIOR POST** in Surgical Ward.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (610 beds). Res. or non-res. For Female Geriatric Ward. **ALSO** (one of two) for Female Medical Ward. **ALSO** (one of two) for Male Medical Ward.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units (General—455 beds). For Ophthalmic Department. Previous experience essential. Res. or non-res.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Female Geriatric Ward at Old Windsor Unit.

Letchworth Hospital, Baldock Road, Letchworth, Herts. (30 beds). Resident. With good general experience.

Lister Hospital, Hitchin, Herts. (General Training School—373 beds). Res. or non-res. For Acute Surgical Ward. For relief duties.

Lister Hospital, Hitchin, Herts. (General Training School—373 beds). Res. or non-res. For modern Geriatric Ward.

Neasden Hospital, Brentfield Road, N.W.10 (Ophthalmic, Infectious and Long-stay—207 beds). Res. or non-res. Female Geriatric and Long-stay Ward, 25 beds. Post requires interest and initiative in development of paramedical services and training of staff.

Neasden Hospital, Brentfield Road, N.W.10 (Ophthalmic, Infectious and Long-stay — 207 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. with Ophthalmic Certificate. In modern Ophthalmic Block of 26 beds.

Peace Memorial Hospital, Watford, Herts. (215 beds). Res. or non-res. **CASUALTY DEPARTMENT.** Busy Casualty Department and Out-patients. Staff of four.

St. Albans City Hospital, Normandy Road, St. Albans (General Training School —394 beds) **SENIOR** and **JUNIOR** Women's Geriatric Ward.

St. Albans City Hospital, Normandy Road, St. Albans, Herts. (General Training School—394 beds). Res. or non-res. For Recovery Room of 12 beds, attached to new suite of Theatres. **ALSO** one Women's Orthopaedic Ward of 22 beds.

St. Paul's Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. Res. or non-res. For A Male Medical Ward (26 beds). A to Matron, West Herts Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts.

St. Stephen's Hospital, Mayn Barnet, Herts. (88 beds). Res. or non-res.

Staines Hospital, Kingston Staines, Middlesex (32 beds). Res. or non-res.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, London, W.C.1 (180 beds). Res. or non-res. **JUNIOR** Required for Children's Ward. S.R.N. and Children-trained. Medical and Surgical.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, London, W.C.1 (180 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for night duty. General Medical and Surgical.

Upton Hospital, Slough, Bucks. (General—178 beds). Res. or non-res. **JUNIOR.** For ward and departmental duties.

NORTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

Training normally lasts **3 years for Student Nurses** and **2 years for Pupil Assistant Nurses** and an allowance of between £299-£336 a year is payable during training, less £128 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Mental Nurse Training Allowance: age 18 £352, 19 £368, 20 £389, less £130 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Aged 21 or over on entry: 1st year £452, 2nd year £473, 3rd year £495, less £158 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Four weeks paid leave per annum. **For full details please apply to the Matron of the hospital concerned.**

BARNET GENERAL HOSPITAL, WELLHOUSE LANE, BARNET, HERTS. (190 beds). Vacancies for female Student Nurses. Forty-four hour week. Hospital situated in pleasant surroundings within half-an-hour of London by Tube. Modern nurses' home, single rooms, recreational facilities. Study day system of training. Four schools per year: 2nd January, 20th March, 19th June and 19th September. Shortened periods of training for students already on the Supplementary Register. Illustrated brochure from Matron.

THE ROYAL LONDON HOMOEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, GREAT ORMOND STREET, LONDON, W.C.1 (180 beds). Resident. Preliminary Training Schools will commence in June and September, 1961.

WATFORD AND DISTRICT PEACE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, NURSE TRAINING SCHOOL, WATFORD, HERTS. (215 beds). There are vacancies for Student Nurses. Three schools a year. While the General Certificate of Education standard is desirable, consideration is given to every applicant with a sincere desire to nurse. Modern nurses' home. Easy access to Central London. Matron will be pleased to discuss training with parents and/or prospective students and to send a brochure on application.

PADDINGTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, HARROW ROAD, LONDON, W.9. This is a hospital of 550 beds with provision for the training of Midwives and Medical Students. Vacancies for Female Student Nurses for three years' general training. Study day system of education. Brochure available.

UPTON HOSPITAL, SLOUGH, BUCKS. (General—178 beds). Resident. **FEMALE.** Applications are invited, for schools commencing 4th September, from girls of 18 years and over wishing to become State Registered Nurses. Modern, well-equipped Training School, and accommodation provided in comfortable Nurses' Home. Uniform and laundry provided. Study day system in operation. Hospital is within easy reach of Eton, Windsor and London. Brochure, application forms and further details from Matron.

EDGWARE GENERAL HOSPITAL, EDGWARE, MIDDLESEX (713 beds). A large, modern hospital situated in pleasant grounds within easy reach of the centre of London. **MALE** or **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Preliminary Training School commences on 28th August, 1961. Candidates should be 18 years of age and over. Three years' course for State Registration under fully qualified staff of Tutors. Block system of training and shift system of duty. Uniform provided and the laundering thereof. Applications, in writing, to the Matron.

MOUNT VERNON HOSPITAL, NORTHWOOD, MIDDLESEX. Vacancies in the Preliminary Training School, January, May and September each year. Candidates on the Supplementary Register accepted for two years.

NATIONAL TEMPERANCE HOSPITAL, HAMPSTEAD ROAD, LONDON, N.W.1. There are vacancies for **FEMALE** Student Nurses for three years' general training (shortened periods of training for applicants on the Supplementary Register). Minimum age, 18 years. Four weeks' annual leave, ample recreational facilities. Excellent opportunities for promotion after training. Further particulars and illustrated brochure on request. Please mention this paper.

CLARE HALL HOSPITAL, SOUTH MIMMS, Nr. BARNET, HERTS. (Regional Thoracic Surgical Centre—334 beds). Student Nurse Training. Vacancies for well-educated women students (from 18 years). All types of training for pulmonary T.B., including major thoracic surgical unit for T.B. and non-T.B. chest diseases. Training School under G.N.C. (special four-year training, two years in the Chest Hospital and two years in an affiliated general hospital). The hospital is also a two-year training school for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. There are facilities at the hospital for all religious denominations. The hospital is situated in very pleasant country within easy reach of London. Hospital coach pays frequent visits to Barnet. Full details from Matron.

BEDFORD GENERAL HOSPITAL (SOUTH WING), KEMPSTON ROAD, BEDFORD, offers excellent training. Lectures by Medical Staff and qualified Sister Tutors. Minimum age of entry, 18 years. Female students (resident). Interested candidates may visit hospital by appointment with Matron.

ASHFORD HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, ASHFORD, MIDDLESEX. General Training School for Nurses. Applications are invited from girls with a good basic education wishing to train to become State Registered Nurses. The three year course starts after reaching the age of 18 years with 12 weeks in the Preliminary Training School before doing practical nursing in the wards. A further period of six weeks is spent in the school of nursing each year. Post-registration Students are accepted for two years' training. Hospital pleasantly situated in own grounds, 30 minutes from London. Excellent training facilities, well-equipped classrooms and comfortable nurses' home. Applications, in writing, to Matron.

HAREFIELD HOSPITAL, HAREFIELD, MIDDLESEX (610 beds). Approved by the General Nursing Council for England and Wales and the British Tuberculosis Association Examination Committee. Students accepted for (1) General and Tuberculosis training (four years); (2) General Training only (three years); (3) British Tuberculosis Certificate only (two years). Up-to-date hospital. Excellent facilities for nurse training.

WEST HERTS SCHOOL OF NURSING, WEST HERTS AND ST. PAUL'S HOSPITALS, HEMEL HEMPSTEAD, HERTFORDSHIRE (316 beds). Resident or non-resident. The above hospital offers excellent facilities for general training. Student Nurses are accepted for a period of three years, excluding three months spent in the Preliminary Training School. Nurses on the Supplementary Part of the Register are accepted for a shortened period of training. Up-to-date ward and out-patients' units have recently been opened. Please apply to "Matron", West Herts Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts.

CANADIAN RED CROSS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, TAPLOW, Nr. MAIDENHEAD (General—326 beds). Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

MENTAL NURSE TRAINING

LEAVESDEN HOSPITAL (FOR MENTAL DEFECTIVES), ABBOTS LANGLEY, Nr. WATFORD, HERTS. There are vacancies for male student nurses to take three years' course in preparation for the General Nursing Council Examination in Mental Deficiency. Lectures by medical staff and qualified tutor and staff. Sports and social amenities. Applications, in writing, to Chief Male Nurse.

NAPSBURY HOSPITAL, Nr. ST. ALBANS, HERTS. Male and female. Three miles from St. Albans and 18 miles from London. Good transport facilities. Official Training School. Sports and social club. Apply to Matron or Chief Male Nurse.

CELL BARNES HOSPITAL, ST. ALBANS, HERTS. (Sub-normal—890 beds, mixed). Resident or non-resident. **FEMALE.** This is a modern progressive hospital within easy reach of London.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

HARROW HOSPITAL, ROXETH HILL, HARROW, MIDDLESEX (Acute—120 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident. From candidates of 18 years of age or over. Training is of essential practical nature. Candidates with previous experience may undertake a shortened training.

MOUNT VERNON HOSPITAL, NORTHWOOD, MIDDLESEX (561 beds). Resident. **FEMALE.** Two years' training to qualify for the Roll of Assistant Nurses. Excellent experience available. Minimum age, 18 years.

HOUNSLOW HOSPITAL, STAINES ROAD, HOUNSLOW, MIDDLESEX (General Acute). Pupils accepted for two years' training for Roll of Assistant Nurses. Hospital with good residential accommodation near London. Interested candidates may visit the hospital by applying to the Matron to whom applications should be addressed.

BARNET GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE—ASSISTANT NURSE TRAINING SCHOOL, incorporating Finchley Memorial Hospital (76 beds), Granville Road, North Finchley, London, N.12; Potters Bar and District Hospital (56 beds), Mutton Lane, Potters Bar, Middlesex; St. Stephen's Hospital (88 beds), Mays Lane, Barnet, Herts. Two-year course, chiefly practical bedside nursing, with excellent opportunities in the future for more advanced work, if desired. Candidates (aged 18 to 45 years) may be resident or non-resident.

BRENTFORD HOSPITAL, BOSTON MANOR ROAD, BRENTFORD, MIDDX. Vacancies now occur for training for State Enrolment for two-year period for May and September schools. Resident or non-resident. Salary and conditions as laid down by Whitley Council. Apply to Matron.

ABBOTS LANGLEY HOSPITAL, ABBOTS LANGLEY, Nr. WATFORD, HERTS. Resident or non-resident. Male or female. Apply to Matron for particulars.

WEMBLEY HOSPITAL, WEMBLEY, MIDDLESEX (Acute General Hospital—132 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident. Hospital within easy access of Central London. Two years' training to qualify for the Roll of Assistant Nurses. Excellent experience available. Minimum age, 18 years.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS—*Contd.*

WARD SISTERS—Contd.

West Herts School of Nursing, West Herts and St. Paul's Hospitals, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. (316 beds). Res. or non-res. Apply to: Matron, West Herts Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. For Holiday Relief duties.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex. Res. or non-res. For Acute Medical Ward.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,101 beds). Res. or non-res. For Neurosurgical Unit consisting of 18 beds—male and female. Must have had recent experience of this branch of nursing. For further details apply to Matron.

MIDWIFERY RELIEF SISTER

Barnet General Hospital, Maternity Unit (Victoria Maternity Hospital, Wood Street, Barnet, Herts.). Res. or non-res. Apply to Matron, Barnet General Hospital, Wellhouse Lane, Barnet, Herts.

RELIEF SISTERS

Barnet General Hospital, Wellhouse Lane, Barnet, Herts. (490 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Stephen's Hospital, Mays Lane, Barnet, Herts. (88 beds). Res. or non-res.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, W.C.1 (180 beds). Res. or non-res.

West Hendon Hospital, Goldsmith Ave., Hendon, N.W.9 (Medical, Infectious Diseases, Poliomyelitis—112 beds). Which is within easy reach of the centre of London. Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and R.F.N. or with experience in the nursing of patients with infectious diseases.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,101 beds). Res. or non-res. Must be willing to do some night duty. 44-hour week straight shift system of day duty; three nights off a week when on night duty. Suitable post for Staff Nurse seeking promotion. Must be S.R.N. and have had two years' post-registration experience.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Barnet General Hospital, Maternity Unit (Victoria Maternity Hospital). S.R.N., S.C.M., or S.C.M. only. Res. or non-res. Hospital situated in attractive surroundings within half hour of London by tube. Excellent experience gained. Applications to Matron, Barnet General Hospital, Wellhouse Lane, Barnet, Herts.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (220 beds). Res. or non-res.

Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Nr. Maidenhead (General—326 beds). Res. or non-res.

Edgware General Hospital, Edgware, Middlesex (Maternity Unit of 80 beds, which is a Part I Midwifery Training School — 713 beds). The hospital is situated in pleasant grounds within easy reach of the centre of London. Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. Facilities available for post-graduate training. Applications, in writing, stating age, qualifications and experience, to the Matron.

STAFF MIDWIVES—Contd.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Old Windsor Unit. Full and part-time.

Maternity Unit, Part II School, St. Paul's Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. (50 beds). Res. or non-res.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, W.9 (103 bedded Maternity Unit). Res. or non-res. Part II Midwifery Training School.

Princess Christian Maternity Home, 70 Alma Road, Windsor, Berks. (11 beds).

St. Albans City Hospital, Normandy Road, St. Albans (General Training School—394 beds).

Upton Hospital, Slough, Bucks. (General—178 beds). Res. or non-res.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), (Maternity Unit), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (60 beds and 3 Premature Cubicles). Vacancies for Part II Midwifery Training commencing 1st March, 1st June, 1st September and 1st December each year.

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NORTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS—*Contd.*

PUPIL MIDWIVES—Contd.

Maternity Unit, Part II School, St. Paul's Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. (50 beds). Resident.

Welwyn Garden City Maternity Hospital, Peartree Lane, Welwyn Garden City (Part II Midwifery Training School—30 beds). Resident. Schools for the second period training commence 1st June, September, December and March. Hospital is pleasantly situated in garden city, half-hour from Central London.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford (204 beds). Res. or non-res.

Harrow Hospital, Roxeth Hill, Harrow, Middx. (Acute—120 beds). Res. or non-res. Straight shift duties. Some "on call", but no night duty.

Hornsey Central Hospital, Park Road, London, N.8 (Acute—60 beds). Res. or non-res.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, London, W.9 (550 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, London, W.10 (General—575 beds). Res. or non-res.

Wembley Hospital, Wembley, Middx. (Acute General Hospital — 132 beds). Res. or non-res. For day duty. 44 hour week. Hospital within easy access of Central London.

West Herts Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. (167 beds). Res. or non-res. Surgical beds only.

Willesden General Hospital, Harlesden Road, N.W.10 (127 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.—for busy general Theatre.

THEATRE STAFF NURSE (MALE)

West Herts Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. (167 beds). Res. or non-res. Surgical beds only.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Abbots Langley Hospital, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. Res. or non-res. Elderly patients, some with psychiatric disabilities. Apply to Matron.

Ashford Hospital, London Road, Ashford, Middlesex (562 beds). Res. or non-res. For Acute Surgical and Medical Wards. 44 hour week with alternate week-ends on duty. **ALSO** for night duty. Five consecutive nights off duty in fourteen.

Barnet General Hospital, Wellhouse Lane, Barnet, Herts. (490 beds). Res. or non-res. For Casualty and O.P. Department.

Barnet General Hospital, Maternity Unit (Victoria Maternity Hospital). Res. or non-res. For night duty in Premature Babies' Unit. Apply to Matron, Barnet General Hospital, Wellhouse Lane, Barnet, Herts.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (220 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for Gynae. Theatre and Ward.

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford (204 beds). Res. or non-res.

Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Nr. Maidenhead (General—326 beds). Res. or non-res. For Children's Ward. **ALSO** for Gynae. Ward

Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, N.W.10 (721 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. required for wards and departments.

Clapham Hospital, Milton Road, Clapham, Bedford (Chronic—85 beds). Res. or non-res.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital — 334 beds). Res. or non-res. For Tuberculous and non-Tuberculous Wards.

Edgware General Hospital, Edgware, Middx. (713 beds). A large modern hospital situated in pleasant grounds within easy reach of the centre of London. Res. or non-res. S.R.N. Applications, in writing, stating age, qualifications and experience, to the Matron.

Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road, North Finchley, N.21. Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

General Trained Nurses received at Leavesden Hospital for training in Mental Deficiency. Duration 18 months only instead of the usual two years. **Applications to the Matron, Leavesden Hospital, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts.**

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Geriatric Unit, St. Paul's Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Hertfordshire (104 beds). Res. or non-res.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (610 beds). Res. or non-res. For Thoracic Surgical Unit. Patients of all age groups. Operations include every type of pulmonary, cardiac and oesophageal surgery. 44 hour week. **ALSO** for General and Tuberculosis Wards. 44 hr. week.

Harrow Hospital, Roxeth Hill, Harrow, Middx. (Acute—120 beds). Res. or non-res. For Casualty or Ward duties. 44 hour week.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Out-patient Department. **THREE REQUIRED.**

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Theatre—Old Windsor. **ALSO** for E.N.T. Theatre and Out-patients' Dept. at Windsor.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. Ophthalmic Dept. Previous experience an advantage. **ALSO** for Private Patients' Wing, Windsor Unit. Day and night duty.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For a new Premature Baby Unit at Old Windsor Unit. Previous experience an advantage. Alternate day and night duty. **TWO REQUIRED.**

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,100 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for Geriatric Unit. 44 hour week shift system of duty.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Geriatric Unit, St. Paul's Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Hertfordshire (104 beds). Res. or non-res.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (610 beds). Res. or non-res. For Thoracic Surgical Unit. Patients of all age groups. Operations include every type of pulmonary, cardiac and oesophageal surgery. 44 hour week.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, W.9 (550 beds). Non-resident. For an Acute Medical Ward.

Potters Bar and District Hospital, Mutton Lane, Potters Bar, Middx. (56 beds). Non-resident.

St. Stephen's Hospital, Mays Lane, Barnet, Herts. (88 beds). Non-res. For Male Geriatric Ward.

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital — 334 beds). Post-graduate training: (a) for six months' course in modern Thoracic Surgical Unit. Operations performed include all types of pulmonary, cardiac and oesophageal surgery. Staff Nurses' salary. Certificate granted on completion of course. Apply to Matron, for full particulars. (b) for B.T.A. Certificate training.

ASHFORD HOSPITAL, ASHFORD, MIDDLESEX

(General Training School—562 beds)

Applications are invited for the following posts:

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT. NIGHT SISTER. Four Night Sisters are employed. Nine nights on duty in fortnight.

THEATRE SISTER. There are three Sisters and one Superintendent. Alternate week-ends off duty.

QUALIFIED TUTOR. Male or female. The school is pleasantly situated in the hospital grounds. Staff of Principal Tutor and two qualified Tutors.

All posts can be resident or non-resident. Forty-four hour week in operation. The hospital is pleasantly situated in its own grounds approximately 14 miles from London.

Applications should be sent to the Matron, from whom further information can be obtained.

National Temperance Hospital, Hampstead Road, London, N.W.1 (General — 138 beds). Res. or non-res.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, W.9 (550 beds). Res. or non-res. R.S.C.N. for Children's Ward.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, W.9 (550 beds). Res. or non-res. For General Wards.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, W.9 (550 beds). Res. or non-res. For Out-patient Department.

Potters Bar and District Hospital, Mutton Lane, Potters Bar, Middx. (56 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. **ALSO** for Theatre duties.

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, W.10 (General—575 beds). Res. or non-res. For T.B. and General Wards.

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, W.10 (General—575 beds). Res. or non-res. For Geriatric Ward.

St. Columba's Hospital, The Elms, Spaniards Road, N.W.3 (35 beds). Res. or non-res. 44 hour week.

St. Stephen's Hospital, Mays Lane, Barnet, Herts. (88 beds). Whole-time post, also part-time post in E.N.T. Ward (with Theatre). 28 hous weekly.

Staines Hospital, Kingston Road, Staines, Middlesex (32 beds). Res. or non-res.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, W.C.1 (180 beds). Res. or non-res. For Medical and Surgical Wards.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, London, W.C.1 (180 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for Private Wards, Medical and Surgical. **ALSO** required for Theatre. Experienced.

Upton Hospital, Slough, Bucks. (General—178 beds). Res. or non-res. For Female Surgical Ward. **ALSO** for Male Medical Ward. **ALSO** for Male Accident Ward. **ALSO** for Gynae. Ward. **ALSO** for Theatre.

Wembley Hospital, Wembley, Middx. (Acute General Hospital — 132 beds). Res. or non-res. One for mixed Medical Block and one for mixed Surgical Block. Hospital within easy access of central London. 44 hour week.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (Regional Thoracic Surgical Centre — 610 beds). Res. or non-res. **MALE** and **FEMALE.** Post-graduate training in Tuberculosis for B.T.A. Certificate. Duration of training, one year. Schools commence in February, May, August and November. Particulars of curriculum sent on application to the Matron.

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middx. (551 beds). Res. or non-res. **S.R.N.** for Plastic Surgery and Treatment of Burns. Six months' course offered to trained nurses. Certificate awarded. **ALSO** res. or non-res. S.R.N. for radiotherapy, including experience in wards and departments. Six months' course offered to trained nurses. Certificate awarded.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Abbots Langley Hospital, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. Res. or non-res. Elderly patients. Apply to Matron.

Barnet General Hospital, Wellhouse Lane, Barnet, Herts. (490 beds). Night duty (four nights weekly). For Female Geriatric Ward.

Clapham Hospital, Milton Road, Clapham, Bedford (85 beds). Res. or non-res. Apply to Matron, Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital — 334 beds). Res. or non-res.

Danesbury, Welwyn, Herts. (Long-stay and Convalescent—37 beds). Res. or non-res. Whole-time or part-time.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (General Training School and Training School for B.T.A. Certificate—610 beds). Res. or non-res. For General and Chest Sections of the Hospital.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Old Windsor Unit.

Mount Pleasant Hospital, North Road, Southall, Middx. (Geriatrics—59 beds). Res. or non-res. Day and night staff required (night staff three nights off per week).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middx. (551 beds). Res. or non-res. For Plastic Centre.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, W.9 (550 beds). Res. or non-res.

Potters Bar and District Hospital, Mutton Lane, Potters Bar, Middx. (56 beds). Res. or non-res. S.E.A.N.

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, W.10 (General—575 beds). Non-resident.

St. Columba's Hospital, The Elms, Spaniards Road, N.W.3 (35 beds). Res. or non-res. Hospital for terminal cases.

St. Stephen's Hospital, Mays Lane, Barnet, Herts. (88 beds). Res. or non-res.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, W.C.1 (180 beds). Res. or non-res.

Upton Hospital, Slough, Bucks. (General—178 beds). Res. or non-res. General and Maternity Wards.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,100 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for day and night duty Geriatric Wards. 44 hour week, nights off each week when on night duty (10.15 p.m.—8 a.m.).

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Abbots Langley Hospital, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. Res. or non-res. Elderly patients. Apply to Matron.

Clapham Hospital, Milton Road, Bedford (Chronic Sick—85 beds). Non-res.

Mount Pleasant Hospital, North Road, Southall, Middx. (Geriatrics—59 beds). Res. or non-res. Day and night staff required (night staff three nights off per week).

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, W.9 (550 beds). Non-resident.

Potters Bar and District Hospital, Mutton Lane, Potters Bar, Middx. (56 beds). Non-resident.

St. Stephen's Hospital, Mays Lane, Barnet, Herts. (88 beds). Non-resident. For Male Geriatric Ward. Whole- or part-time. Day or night duty.

NURSING AUXILIARIES (FEMALE)

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital — 334 beds). Res. or non-res.

Geriatric Unit, St. Paul's Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Hertfordshire (104 beds). Res. or non-res.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (General Training School and Training School for B.T.A. Certificate—610 beds). Res. or non-res. For General and Chest Sections of the Hospital.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Old Windsor Unit. Full and part-time.

Maternity Unit, St. Paul's Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. (50 beds). Res. or non-res.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, W.9 (550 beds). Non-res.

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, W.10 (General—575 beds). Non-res.

St. Columba's Hospital, The Elms, Spaniards Road, N.W.3 (35 beds). Res. or non-res. Hospital for terminal cases. 44 hour week.

St. Elizabeths, Mayfield Avenue, Finchley, London, N.12 (Female Geriatric—53 beds). Res. or non-res. Also part-time 22 hours a week or more.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, W.C.1 (180 beds). Res. or non-res.

Wembley Hospital, Wembley, Middx. (Acute General Hospital — 132 beds). Res. or non-res. Hospital within easy access of Central London.

West Herts Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. (167 beds). Res. or non-res. Surgical beds only.

NURSING AUXILIARIES (MALE)

Geriatric Unit, St. Paul's Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Hertfordshire (104 beds). Res. or non-res.

NURSERY NURSES

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For a Premature Baby Unit at Old Windsor Unit. Alternate day and night duty. **TWO REQUIRED.**

Maternity Unit, St. Paul's Hospital, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. (50 beds). Res. or non-res.

NORTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

PRINCIPAL TUTOR

Leavesden Group Hospital Management Committee: Principal Tutor required at **Leavesden Hospital (Psychiatric), Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts.** Applications to the Matron.

QUALIFIED TUTOR (MALE or FEMALE)

New Southgate Group Hospital Management Committee comprising: Friern Hospital, New Southgate, London, N.11 Halliwick Hospital, Psychiatric Hospital—2,400 beds). **Halliwick Hospital, New Southgate, London, N.11** (Informal Psychiatric Unit — 134 beds). Good teaching facilities. There are already two tutors in post. Experimental scheme of training. Block system, based on the new syllabus, in operation. Whitley Council scale of salary and conditions of service. Married accommodation not available. Application to be made on form obtainable from the Group Secretary, Friern Hospital, N.11.

ASSISTANT MATRONS (FEMALE)

Friern Hospital, New Southgate, London, N.11 (Psychiatric Hospital—2,400 beds). **Halliwick Hospital, New Southgate, London, N.11** (Informal Psychiatric Unit—134 beds). Res. or non-res. Whitley Council scale of salary and conditions of service. Applications, giving full details of experience, qualifications, etc., together with the names and addresses of two referees, to the Matron, Friern Hospital, N.11

Leavesden Hospital, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. ASSISTANT MATRON (one of seven) required. Candidates should be qualified in mental nursing or mental deficiency and general training would be an advantage. Applications to Matron.

Three Counties Hospital, Arlesey, Beds. (For Nervous and Mental Disorders) **ASSISTANT MATRONS.** Male or female. Senior female position. Applications are invited for the above posts. This hospital is a recognised Training School for Mental Nurses and has an active Preliminary Training School. It is pleasantly situated 40 miles from London. Candidates must be mental and general trained. Salary and conditions of service as laid down by the Whitley Council recommendations—M/F — £875 according to experience. Shift system and 44 hour week in operation). Charge for board, etc., £205 per annum. Applications, giving full particulars of age, training, qualifications and experience, together with names and addresses of two referees, to the Medical Superintendent as soon as possible.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT (FEMALE)

Three Counties Hospital for Nervous and Mental Disorders, Arlesey, Bedfordshire. Applications are invited for the post of female Night Superintendent, which became vacant on 24th January, 1961. The hospital accommodates approximately 650 women patients, and is a recognised training school for Mental Nurses, with an active Preliminary Training School. It is pleasantly situated 40 miles from London. Candidates must be Mental and General trained. Salary £805 x £30 (4) —£925 per annum, less £240 per annum for board and lodging. Applications should be sent to The Matron, from whom further information may be obtained.

ASSISTANT TUTOR (FEMALE)

Leavesden Hospital for Mental Defectives, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. Qualified or unqualified. Required for Preliminary Training School. Applications to the Matron.

WARD SISTERS

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mentally Sub-normal—394 beds). Res. or non-res.

Friern Hospital, New Southgate, London, N.11 (Psychiatric Hospital—2,400 beds). **Halliwick Hospital, New Southgate, London, N.11** (Informal Psychiatric Unit—134 beds). Res. or non-res.

Napsbury Mental Hospital, Nr. St. Albans, Herts. (2,020 beds). Res. or non-res. R.M.N., R.M.P.A.

Three Counties Hospital, Arlesey, Bedfordshire (For Nervous and Mental Disorders). Vacancies for **four Ward Sisters** to take charge of modernised wards of small units. Salary £675 per annum to £850 per annum, less £205 per annum for board and lodging. If non-resident, a charge of £5 per annum is made for use of uniform and laundering. The hospital accommodates approximately 650 women patients, and is a recognised Training School for Mental Nurses, with an active Preliminary Training School. It is pleasantly situated 40 miles from London. Applications to The Matron, from whom further information may be obtained.

DEPUTY SISTERS

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mentally Sub-normal—394 beds). Res. or non-res. Two modern and well-equipped pavilions.

Leavesden Hospital, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. (Mental Deficiency). Candidates must have passed their Final Examination in Mental Deficiency or Mental Nursing. Salary scale £529—£646 per annum. Applications to the Matron.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mentally Sub-normal—394 beds). Res. or non-res. Two very modern and well-equipped pavilions.

Cell Barnes Hospital, St. Albans, Herts. (Sub-normal—890 beds, mixed). Res. or non-res. R.N.M.S. or R.M.P.A.

Friern Hospital, New Southgate, London, N.11 (Psychiatric Hospital—1,402 beds). **Halliwick Hospital, New Southgate, N.11** (Informal Psychiatric—134 beds). Res. or non-res.

Hill End Hospital, St. Albans (For Mental and Nervous Disorders—760 beds). S.R.N., R.M.N., or R.M.N. only.

Napsbury Mental Hospital, Nr. St. Albans, Herts. (2,020 beds). Res. or non-res. R.M.N., R.M.P.A.

St. Bernard's Hospital for Nervous and Mental Disorders, Southall, Middlesex (2,500 beds). Res. or non-res.

Three Counties Hospital, Arlesey, Bedfordshire (For Nervous and Mental Disorders). Vacancies for **four Female Staff Nurses** for modernised wards of small units. Opportunities for promotion. Salary £550 per annum to £675 per annum, less £180 per annum for board and lodging If non-resident, a charge of £5 per annum is made for use of uniform and laundering. The hospital accommodates approximately 650 women patients and is a recognised Training School for Mental Nurses, with an active Preliminary Training School. It is pleasantly situated 40 miles from London. Applications to The Matron, from whom further information may be obtained.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mentally Sub-normal—394 beds). Res. or non-res. Two modern and well-equipped pavilions.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)—Contd.

St. Bernard's Hospital for Nervous and Mental Disorders, Southall, Middlesex (2,500 beds). Res. or non-res.

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING

Hill End Hospital, St. Albans, Herts. (For Mental and Nervous Disorders—760 beds). Male and female. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident. Required for post-graduate training for R.M.N. Certificate. Duration of training eighteen months. Schools commence 1st January, 1st May and 1st September. Apply to Matron or Chief Male Nurse, as appropriate, for full particulars

Three Counties Hospital, Arlesey, Beds. (For Mental and Nervous Disorders—1,200 beds). Male and female S.R.N., resident or non-resident, required for post-graduate training for R.M.N. Certificate. Duration of training 18 months. Apply to Matron or Chief Male Nurse, as appropriate, for full particulars.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (FEMALE)

Binfield Park Hospital, Binfield, Berks. (Severely Sub-normal—65 beds). Res. or non-res.

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mentally Sub-normal—394 beds). Res. or non-res.

Cell Barnes Hospital, St. Albans, Herts. (Sub-normal—890 beds, mixed). Res. or non-res. This is a modern progressive hospital within easy reach of London.

Friern Hospital, New Southgate, London, N.11 (For Nervous and Mental Disorders). Res. or non-res. Preferably with one year's experience.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (MALE)

Binfield Park Hospital, Binfield, Berks. (Severely Sub-normal—65 beds). Res. or non-res.

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mentally Sub-normal—394 beds). Res. or non-res. Two modern and well-equipped pavilions.

NURSERY NURSES (FEMALE)

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mentally Sub-normal—394 beds). Res. or non-res. Four required.

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VERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL ITAL FOR TROPICAL DISEASES PANCRAS WAY, LONDON, N.W.1
Nurse required—35 hours per week. apply, with full particulars, to the superintendent, Hospital for Tropical (2834)

ST. PANCRAS HOSPITAL VERSITY COLLEGE HOSPITAL) PANCRAS WAY, LONDON, N.W.1
llowing staff are required for the ing Psychiatric Unit:
Wards—Two **Staff Nurses;** two rolled **Nurses.**
apply, with full particulars, to the Matron in Charge, St. Pancras Hos- ondon, N.W.1. (2835)

TED BIRMINGHAM HOSPITALS INGHAM MATERNITY HOSPITAL BRAY STREET, BIRMINGHAM, 4
Midwives, S.R.N., S.C.M., resident or nt, required.
ations to Matron. (90)

MPSTEAD GENERAL HOSPITAL THE GREEN AMPSTEAD, LONDON, N.W.3
ssed **Female Theatre Staff Nurse**
giving age and details of experience, Matron. (2705)

ROYAL MARSDEN HOSPITAL LHAM ROAD, LONDON, S.W.3
ies for **Trained Nurses** (resident or nt) who wish to gain experience in urgery and treatment by radium and erapy, also experience in the treat- diagnostic investigation with radio- topes.
er to assist the Research Department ential to have adequate staff of nurses on the wards. Salary in ce with the Whitley Council scale. ther details apply to Matron.
(45)

THE NATIONAL HOSPITAL QUEEN SQUARE, LONDON, W.C.1
S.R.N.s required for part-time duties in Out-patient Department and Wards. (Hours suitable for married nurses.)
Apply, in writing, to Matron, The National Hospital, W.C.1. (2883)

GUY'S HOSPITAL, LONDON, S.E.1
Applications are invited for the post of **Staff Nurse** in the Operating Theatres. S.R.N. and not less than one year's theatre experience essential.
For further particulars apply the Matron, giving details of training and experience.
(x2920)

BELFAST CITY HOSPITAL
Vacancies exist for **Staff Nurses, Staff Midwives, State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.**
Application forms may be obtained from the Matron, Belfast City Hospital, 51 Lisburn Road, Belfast, 9. (2926)

THE MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL LONDON, W.1
Applications are invited for the post of **Theatre Staff Nurse.**
Applications should be made to the Matron.
(2947)

CHARING CROSS GROUP OF HOSPITALS WEST LONDON HOSPITAL HAMMERSMITH ROAD, W.6
Vacancies exist for **Staff Nurses.**
Apply to Matron for further details.
(2955)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS SLADE HOSPITAL HEADINGTON, OXFORD
Required at the above hospital:
Three **Staff Nurses** for day and night duty on Infectious Diseases wards
Two **S.E.A.N.s** for day and night duty.
Night Staff have three nights off per week.
Please apply to the Matron. (95)

ROYAL NATIONAL ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL 234 GREAT PORTLAND STREET LONDON, W.1
(Post-graduate School of Orthopaedics—University of London)
Applications are invited for the following posts:
(a) **Staff Nurse** for the Operating Theatre.
(b) **Staff Nurse** for general ward duties.
The Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate or orthopaedic experience an advantage, but not absolutely essential. Salaries according to the Whitley scale. Posts may be resident or non-resident.
Apply to Matron. (2774)

PADDINGTON GREEN CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, W.2 (ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL)
Staff Nurses, S.R.N. or R.S.C.N., required for duties in the Operating Theatre and Wards.
Applications to the Matron. (1795)

UNITED BIRMINGHAM HOSPITALS THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL BIRMINGHAM, 15
There are vacancies for **Staff Midwives** in our Part II Midwifery Training School.
Applications and enquiries to Matron.
(38)

THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN GT. ORMOND STREET, LONDON, W.C.1
Part-time **Staff Nurse** for Recovery Ward. Mondays-Fridays. 7 cots. R.S.C.N. essential.
For further details apply to the Matron.
(2874)

EVELINA CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL OF GUY'S HOSPITAL SOUTHWARK BRIDGE ROAD LONDON, S.E.1
Staff Nurse required for night duty. R.S.C.N. essential. Able to deputise for Sister.
Apply Lady Superintendent. (2881)

KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL DENMARK HILL, LONDON, S.E.5
Applications are invited for the post of **Staff Nurse** at the Baldwin Brown Convalescent and Recovery Home, Camberley. 40 beds for male and female patients (medical and surgical). Applicants may be resident or non-resident.
Apply Sister-in-Charge, Baldwin Brown Convalescent and Recovery Home, Chobham Road, Camberley, Surrey. (36)

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT PRINCESS LOUISE KENSINGTON HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN ST. QUINTIN'S AVE., LONDON, W.10
Staff Nurse, with R.S.C.N. or S.R.N. with children's experience, required for night duty in the Babies Ward.
Apply, with full particulars, to the Matron.
(2630)

QUY'S— MAUDSLEY NEUROSURGICAL UNIT
Immediate vacancies for full-time general trained **Staff Nurses** in the wards and theatre in the above unit.
Applications to Superintendent of Nursing, Maudsley Hospital, Denmark Hill, London, S.E.5. (N.T.). (2808)

NATIONAL HEART HOSPITAL WESTMORELAND STREET, W.C.1 AND MAIDS MORETON, BUCKINGHAM
Post-graduate Teaching Hospital
Staff Nurses and State Enrolled Assistant Nurses required for London and Country Branch Hospitals.
Apply Matron, Westmoreland Street, W.1.
(12)

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S HOSPITAL LONDON, E.C.1
There are a few vacancies for **Staff Nurses.** Post may be resident or non-resident.
Apply to Matron, giving particulars of training, age and subsequent experience if any. (231)

WELSH REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training and experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the Matron of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated) from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions of service are in accordance with the appropriate National Agreements.

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL, CARDIFF

PREMATURE BABY COURSE

Applications are invited from State Certified Midwives, State Registered Nurses or State Registered Children's Nurses for a three or six months' course in the Premature Baby Unit. Certificates awarded after this time.

MATRON

CEFN ILA MATERNITY HOSPITAL

Nr. USK (21 beds). Salary £877-£1,034, less £265 for board residence. This is a general practitioner hospital with a Consultant Obstetrician attending as required, and two General Practitioner Medical Officers. The hospital is in pleasant country surroundings, one mile from Usk. Transport available. Apply, stating experience and two referees, to T. A. Jones, Group Secretary, 64 Cardiff Road, Newport, Mon.

ASSISTANT MATRON

LLWYNYPIA HOSPITAL

LLWYNYPIA, RHONDDA. Applications are invited from men and women for the post of Assistant Matron at this recently modernised acute hospital with 203 beds and a Training School for Pupil Assistant Nurses. The post will be resident or non-resident. Whitley Council conditions of service with salary scale of £814 p.a. x £31 (2) x £32 (2)—£940 p.a. £235 p.a. will be charged if resident. Canvassing will disqualify. Application forms are obtainable from the Group Secretary, Courthouse Street, Pontypridd, and must be returned by not later than the first post on the 10th May, 1961.

TUTORS

ST. WOOLOS HOSPITAL

NEWPORT (405 beds). The Nurse Training Departments of the hospital will be combined with the Royal Gwent Hospital shortly to form the Newport School of Nursing, and the post affords an interesting opportunity of participating in the new school.

WEST WALES GENERAL HOSPITAL

CARMARTHEN. Qualified (one of three). The hospital comprises 280 beds at present, eventually to be 440 beds, approximately. **Study day** system of training. Applications to Matron.

Cefn Coed Hospital Management Committee

CEFN COED HOSPITAL, SWANSEA

ASSISTANT TUTOR

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for the post of Assistant Tutor at this modern psychiatric hospital.

Preference will be given to qualified Nurse Tutors, but applications from male or female Nurses holding the qualifications R.M.N., S.R.N., will be considered.

Salary and conditions of service in accordance with the Whitley Council.

The hospital is an approved training school—the 1957 syllabus is in use. An 18 month period of psychiatric training for post-registration S.R.N.s is available.

Applications, together with the names and addresses of two persons to whom reference may be made, should be addressed to the Medical Superintendent, Cefn Coed Hospital, not later than 31st May, 1961.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

CAERNARVON & ANGLESEY GENERAL HOSPITAL

BANGOR. For housekeeping duties.

HOME SISTERS

PRINCE OF WALES' ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL

RHYDLAFAR, Nr. CARDIFF (270 beds). Vacancy due to retirement.

BRIDGEND GENERAL HOSPITAL

QUARELLA ROAD, BRIDGEND (381 beds).

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

PONTYPRIDD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL

THE COMMON, PONTYPRIDD (36 beds). Category B.

TENBY COTTAGE HOSPITAL

TENBY (16 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

NIGHT SISTERS

VICTORIA COTTAGE HOSPITAL

ABERGAVENNY (General—28, Maternity—14 beds).

NIGHT SISTERS—Contd.

SULLY HOSPITAL

GLAMORGAN. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital by the sea—318 beds for adults and children. Recognised by the General Nursing Council to participate in a three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital. Thoracic and cardiac surgery—hypothermia and heart-lung machine in operation, also busy Physiology Department for heart investigation. Social clubs, hockey, tennis, swimming and golf. **Senior Night Sister.** Experience in chest diseases an advantage. Able to relieve Night Superintendent. Complement Night Superintendent and two Night Sisters.

PRINCE OF WALES' ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL

RHYDLAFAR, Nr. CARDIFF (270 beds). Orthopaedic experience preferred, but not essential.

BRIDGEND GENERAL HOSPITAL

QUARELLA ROAD, BRIDGEND (381 beds). One of three.

GORSEINON HOSPITAL

GORSEINON (70 beds). S.R.N. and preferably S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

HAVERFORDWEST (163 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

ST. THOMAS' HOSPITAL

HAVERFORDWEST (102 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. In sole charge.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL

TREDEGAR, MON. (160 beds).

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL

CARDIFF.

ST. THOMAS' HOSPITAL

HAVERFORDWEST (102 beds; Chronic Sick—82, Maternity—20).

CATHERINE GLADSTONE MATERNITY HOME

MANCOT, Nr. CHESTER (25 beds). For day duty.

LLWYNYPIA HOSPITAL

LLWYNYPIA, RHONDDA (Maternity—30 beds).

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL

CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (Maternity—50 beds).

THEATRE SISTERS

PONTYPOOL AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL

PONTYPOOL, MON. (126 beds). Departmental. The senior of two posts. Salary £656-£840.

ROYAL GWENT HOSPITAL

NEWPORT, MON. (247 beds).

H.M. STANLEY HOSPITAL

ST. ASAPH.

Clwyd and Deeside Hospital Management Committee

H.M. STANLEY HOSPITAL

ST. ASAPH, FLINTSHIRE

OPHTHALMIC UNIT

SISTERS urgently required for **OPHTHALMIC UNIT**—duties include Ward, Theatre and Out-patient Clinics as and when required.

SISTERS

SOUTH WALES SANATORIUM

TALGARTH (275 beds).

LLANDRINDOD WELLS HOSPITAL AND COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

LLANDRINDOD WELLS (43 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL

BRECON (70 beds).

BUILTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL

BUILTH WELLS (27 beds).

BRIDGEND GENERAL HOSPITAL

QUARELLA ROAD, BRIDGEND (381 beds). Casualty Sister for new Casualty Department. Also Ward Sister—orthopaedic experience desirable.

LLANELLY HOSPITAL

LLANELLY (160 beds). For Out-patient and Casualty Department.

ST. THOMAS' HOSPITAL

HAVERFORDWEST (102 beds: Chronic Sick—82, Maternity—20).

SEALYHAM HOSPITAL

WOLFSCASTLE, HAVERFORDWEST (38 beds). Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH PEMBROKESHIRE HOSPITAL

PEMBROKE DOCK (83 beds). For Casualty and Out-patient Department, and one for Chronic Sick Ward.

WELSH REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

SISTERS—Contd.

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH. Required for Children's Ward (34 beds). Tuberculosis and non-tuberculosis patients.

PONTYPRIDD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
THE COMMON, PONTYPRIDD (36 beds).

GRAIG HOSPITAL
COURTHOUSE STREET, PONTYPRIDD (300 beds).

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL
CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (330 beds). For wards. Also S.R.N., S.C.M., for Premature Baby Unit. S.R.N., R.S.C.N., for Children's Ward.

RELIEF SISTERS

GORSEINON HOSPITAL
GORSEINON (70 beds). Resident or non-resident.

MOUNT PLEASANT HOSPITAL
SWANSEA. Resident or non-resident.

ST. THOMAS' HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (102 beds).

SOUTH PEMBROKESHIRE HOSPITAL
PEMBROKE DOCK (83 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

VICTORIA COTTAGE HOSPITAL
ABERGAVENNY (General—28, Maternity—14 beds).

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL
TREDEGAR, MON. (160 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., or S.C.M. only.

CAERPHILLY DISTRICT MINERS' HOSPITAL
Nr. CARDIFF (226 beds).

BRECONSHIRE WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
BRECON (40 beds).

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL
CARDIFF. Full and part-time.

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH (Obstetric—64 beds). This hospital is classified as a complete Training School (including midwifery training) and has a modern and well-equipped Maternity Unit.

GLASFRYN MATERNITY HOSPITAL
LLANELLY (12 beds). Non-resident.

SOUTH PEMBROKESHIRE HOSPITAL
PEMBROKE DOCK (83 beds).

ST. THOMAS' HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (102 beds: Chronic Sick—82, Maternity—20).

WEST WALES GENERAL HOSPITAL
CARMARTHEN (280 beds).

LLANDUDNO MATERNITY HOME
LLANDUDNO. Non-resident. Required immediately. Flat could be offered.

DENBIGHSHIRE INFIRMARY
DENBIGH (50 beds). Resident.

H.M. STANLEY HOSPITAL
ST. ASAPH, FLINTSHIRE. For Maternity Unit of 47 beds.

CATHERINE GLADSTONE MATERNITY HOME
MANCOT, Nr. CHESTER (25 beds).

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL
CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (Maternity—50 beds).

LLWYNYPIA HOSPITAL
LLWYNYPIA, RHONDDA (Maternity—30 beds).

STAFF NURSES

VICTORIA COTTAGE HOSPITAL
ABERGAVENNY (General—28, Maternity—14 beds).

CAERPHILLY DISTRICT MINERS' HOSPITAL
Nr. CARDIFF (226 beds). One for General Wards. One for Theatre. Resident or non-resident. Full-time.

YSTRAD MYNACH HOSPITAL
(52 beds). Alternate day and night duty.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL
TREDEGAR, MON. (160 beds). Two.

TREDEGAR GENERAL HOSPITAL
MON. (56 beds). With theatre experience. Three.

BRECONSHIRE WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
BRECON (40 beds).

KNIGHTON HOSPITAL
KNIGHTON (48 beds).

SOUTH WALES SANATORIUM
TALGARTH (275 beds).

BUILTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL
BUILTH WELLS (25 beds).

STAFF NURSES—Contd.

GLAN ELY HOSPITAL
FAIRWATER, CARDIFF. Excellent experience offered in all branches of tuberculosis, bone and joint, urology, some geriatric, pulmonary and non-pulmonary chest, surgical and medical experience. The hospital is situated 15 minutes' bus ride from city centre. Opportunities available for those wishing to take B.T.A. Certificate. **Theatre Staff Nurse** required immediately. Excellent experience offered in thoracic and other surgery.

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL
CARDIFF. For Medical and Geriatric Wards.

PRINCE OF WALES' ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL
RHYDLAFAR, Nr. CARDIFF (270 beds). Required for Plaster Department. Orthopaedic experience essential.

SULLY HOSPITAL
GLAMORGAN. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital facing the sea—318 beds for adults and children. Recognised by the General Nursing Council to participate in a three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital. Thoracic and cardiac surgery—hypothermia and heart-lung machine in operation, also busy Physiology Department for heart investigation. Social club, hockey, tennis, swimming and golf. **Staff Nurses** for busy unit—three theatres. Excellent opportunity for experience in chest and heart surgery. **Staff Nurses** for post-graduate training. One year for B.T.A. Certificate and Hospital Certificate. **Staff Nurses** for 3-6 months' experience in pre- and post-operative nursing of chest and heart conditions.

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH (412 beds).

PORT TALBOT GENERAL HOSPITAL
HOSPITAL ROAD, PORT TALBOT (85 beds). Full-time and part-time.

TONNA CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
TONNA, NEATH (90 beds).

MAESGWYN HOSPITAL
BRYNCETHIN, Nr. BRIDGEND (61 beds). Full-time or part-time.

BRIDGEND COTTAGE HOSPITAL
MERTHYRMAWR ROAD, BRIDGEND (36 beds). For Ophthalmic and E.N.T. Units. Full-time or part-time.

MAESTEG GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH ROAD, MAESTEG (70 beds). For night duty.

BRIDGEND GENERAL HOSPITAL
QUARELLA ROAD, BRIDGEND (381 beds). For Theatre, Wards; and also Male Staff Nurse for night duty in new Casualty Block.

ST. THOMAS' HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (102 beds).

SOUTH PEMBROKESHIRE HOSPITAL
PEMBROKE DOCK (83 beds).

ABERGELE CHEST HOSPITAL
ABERGELE (154 beds). Female. S.R.N.

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). S.R.N. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Certificate available.

H.M. STANLEY HOSPITAL
ST. ASAPH, FLINTSHIRE (154 beds). For Ophthalmic and Geriatric Wards.

TONTEG HOSPITAL
TONTEG, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (56 beds).

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL
CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (330 beds). For wards. Also for **Premature Baby Unit**—S.C.M. Certificate required.

TREHERBERT HOSPITAL
TREHERBERT, RHONDDA (34 beds).

GRAIG HOSPITAL
COURTHOUSE STREET, PONTYPRIDD (300 beds).

PONTYPRIDD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
THE COMMON, PONTYPRIDD (36 beds).

PORTH AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
PORTH, RHONDDA (34 beds).

LLWYNYPIA HOSPITAL
LLWYNYPIA, RHONDDA (203 beds). For Theatre and Wards.

POST GRADUATE NURSES

GLAN ELY HOSPITAL
FAIRWATER, CARDIFF. There are vacancies for S.R. Nurses to take the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Schools commence 1st November and 1st May each year. Excellent experience offered in all departments of the hospital, including theatre, and good thoracic surgical experience. The hospital is situated 15 minutes' bus ride from city centre, in pleasant country surroundings.

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). There are vacancies for State Registered Nurses to take the B.T.A. Certificate for a course of one year. Training given in pulmonary tuberculosis, orthopaedics, genito-urinary, paediatrics and non-tuberculosis chest work. The hospital is a modern chest hospital situated in lovely country, only 16 miles from Rhyl, which is a seaside town. Good public and hospital transport available.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL
TREDEGAR, MON. (160 beds). Vacancies for Part II Training.

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH (Obstetric—64 beds). This hospital is classified as a complete Training School (including midwifery training) and has a modern and well-equipped Maternity Unit.

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WELSH REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—*Contd.*

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

OAKDALE HOSPITAL
BLACKWOOD, MON. (14 beds).

ENERGLYN HOSPITAL
CAERPHILLY, GLAM. (70 beds). Full-time or part-time.

ABERBARGOED AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
MON. (36 beds). Two. Full-time. Day duty.

CAERPHILLY DISTRICT MINERS' HOSPITAL
Nr. CARDIFF (226 beds).

BEDWELLTY HOSPITAL
MARKHAM (24 beds). Day duty—relief night duty.

KNIGHTON HOSPITAL
KNIGHTON (48 beds).

SOUTH WALES SANATORIUM
TALGARTH (275 beds).

GLAN ELY HOSPITAL
FAIRWATER, CARDIFF. Opportunities available to take B.T.A. Certificate—two years' training. Also experience in geriatrics.

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL
CARDIFF. For Medical and Geriatric Wards.

SULLY HOSPITAL
GLAMORGAN. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital facing the sea—318 beds for adults and children. Recognised by the General Nursing Council to participate in a three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital. Thoracic and cardiac surgery—hypothermia and heart-lung machine in operation, also busy Physiology Department for heart investigation. Social club, hockey, tennis, swimming, golf. Opportunity given to train for B.T.A. Certificate.

GRAIG HOSPITAL
COURTHOUSE STREET, PONTYPRIDD (300 beds).

TYNTYLA HOSPITAL
YSTRAD, RHONDDA (118 beds).

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL
CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (330 beds).

PORTH AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
PORTH, RHONDDA (34 beds).

TONNA CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
TONNA, NEATH (90 beds).

BLACKMILL ISOLATION HOSPITAL
BLACKMILL (44 beds).

MAESGWYN HOSPITAL
BRYNCETHIN, Nr. BRIDGEND (61 beds). Full-time or part-time.

BRIDGEND COTTAGE HOSPITAL
MERTHYRMAWR ROAD, BRIDGEND (36 beds). For Ophthalmic Ward.

GROESWEN HOSPITAL
MARGAM ROAD, PORT TALBOT (56 beds).

MOUNT PLEASANT HOSPITAL
SWANSEA. Male for V.D. Department.

SEALYHAM HOSPITAL
WOLFSCASTLE, HAVERFORDWEST (38 beds).

SOUTH PEMBROKESHIRE HOSPITAL
PEMBROKE DOCK (83 beds).

ST. THOMAS' HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (102 beds).

WEST WALES GENERAL HOSPITAL
CARMARTHEN (280 beds).

ABERGELE CHEST HOSPITAL
ABERGELE (154 beds). Female.

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). Male and female interested in varied chest work. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL
RHYL (131 beds). Full-time.

DENBIGHSHIRE INFIRMARY
DENBIGH (50 beds). Resident.

LLUESTY HOSPITAL
HOLYWELL (155 beds). Resident or non-resident.

PRINCE EDWARD WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
RHYL (Orthopaedic—41 beds).

STUDENT NURSES

SULLY HOSPITAL
GLAMORGAN. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital facing the sea—318 beds for adults and children. Recognised by the General Nursing Council to participate in a three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital. Thoracic and cardiac surgery—hypothermia and heart-lung machine in operation, also busy Physiology Department for heart investigation. Social club, hockey, tennis, swimming and golf. **Student Nurses** for two years' training for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. **Student Nurses** for three years' general training—one year, three months, Sully Hospital; and one year, nine months, Llandough Hospital.

ABERGELE CHEST HOSPITAL
ABERGELE. For S.R.N. and/or B.T.A. Certificates. 163 beds. Non-tuberculous chest diseases treated. Major Thoracic Surgery Unit. Orthopaedic Unit. This hospital participates in a special associated scheme of training with Crumpsall Hospital, Manchester.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

TREDEGAR GENERAL HOSPITAL
MON. (56 beds).

CAERPHILLY DISTRICT MINERS' HOSPITAL
Nr. CARDIFF (226 beds).

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL
TREDEGAR, MON. (160 beds).

GLAN ELY HOSPITAL
FAIRWATER, CARDIFF. Two years' training. Excellent experience offered in the wards and departments.

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL
CARDIFF. School to commence on 1st June, 1961.

LLWYNYPIA HOSPITAL
LLWYNYPIA, RHONDDA (203 beds).

PORT TALBOT GENERAL HOSPITAL
HOSPITAL ROAD, PORT TALBOT (85 beds).

MAESTEG GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH ROAD, MAESTEG (70 beds).

NURSERY NURSES

H.M. STANLEY HOSPITAL
ST. ASAPH.

MENTAL NURSING

CHIEF MALE NURSE

LLANFRECHFA GRANGE HOSPITAL
CWMBRAN, MON. Applications are invited for the post of Chief Male Nurse at this hospital for sub-normal patients. There is at present accommodation for 100 male patients and accommodation for 200 patients will be provided in the near future. The hospital adjoins the new town of Cwmbran and is within easy reach of Newport and Cardiff. Experience in nursing the mentally sub-normal is essential and applicants must hold the appropriate qualification. Whitley Council salary and conditions of service. Applications, stating age, experience, qualifications and the names and addresses of two referees, to be submitted to the Group Secretary, Pen-y-Val Hospital, Abergavenny, Mon., as soon as possible.

MATRON/SUPERINTENDENT

LLWYN VIEW HOSPITAL
DOLGELLAU, MERIONETH. Resident. Hospital for the mentally sub-normal (68 female beds). Vacancy due to retirement in June. The hospital is pleasantly situated in beautiful Welsh countryside in the County Town of Dolgellau near seaside resorts. Salary £877 per annum rising by annual increments to £1,003, plus £20 for administrative duties, less appropriate charge for board and lodging. Candidates should be doubly qualified and have administrative experience. Applications, by 27th May, 1961, to Mr. S. L. Frost, Group Secretary, Mental Hospital, Denbigh.

ASSISTANT MATRONS

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL
CARMARTHEN. Candidates must be qualified Mental Nurses, and some training, in addition, will be an advantage. Salary £735-£919 per annum, less £205 per annum for board, lodging, etc. Applications, giving age, qualifications and experience, together with names and addresses of two referees, to be sent to the Medical Superintendent.

ST. CADOC'S HOSPITAL
CAERLEON, MON. For new Short-stay Psychiatric Unit of 44 beds (male and female) and Out-patients' Department which is to be opened shortly. Applicants to be qualified preferably in general and psychiatric nursing. Applications stating age and giving full details of training, qualifications and experience, to be forwarded to the Group Secretary, Penyval Hospital, Abergavenny, Mon., immediately.

OTHER VACANCIES: There are vacancies for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses, Pupil Midwives and Trainees for the B.T.A. Certificate at training hospitals within the Region, and a list of hospitals (including mental hospitals) will be sent on application to the Regional Nursing Officer, Welsh Regional Hospital Board, Temple of Peace and Health, Cathays Park, Cardiff. (2941)

THE UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS
DAVID LEWIS NORTHERN HOSPITAL
LEEDS STREET, LIVERPOOL, 3

Staff Nurses for Theatre required. Good experience in General and Orthopaedic Surgery offered in modern Theatre Suite.

Apply, with full details and names of two referees, to Matron immediately. (2972)

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S HOSPITAL
LONDON, E.C.1

Vacancies exist for **State Enrolled Assistant Nurses** (female) in General Wards of the Hospital. Some previous acute medical or surgical experience essential.

Apply Matron, giving particulars of training and names and addresses of two referees. (56)

THE NATIONAL HOSPITAL
QUEEN SQUARE, LONDON, W.C.1
and
MAIDA VALE HOSPITAL, W.9

Nursing Auxiliaries required — Male and Female.

Apply, in writing, to Matron, The National Hospital, W.C.1. (2402)

THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN
GREAT ORMOND STREET
LONDON, W.C.1

Vacancies for **State Enrolled Nurses** in Theatre and Out-patient Departments.

For further details apply to the

KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL
DENMARK HILL, LONDON, S.E.5

...pplications are invited from State En-...d Assistant Nurses for non-resident, full-... posts in:

(a) Casualty Department, mainly on am-...nce duties.

(b) Out-patients' Department.

...evious experience preferred.

...pply to Sister-Matron. (2087)

THE ROYAL MARSDEN HOSPITAL
FULHAM ROAD, LONDON, S.W.3

...acancies for **S.E.A.N.s** (female) for Royal ...rsden Hospital, and new annexe at Western ...ital, Seagrave Road, S.W.6. Applicants ...d have had good experience and be ...sted in the nursing of cancer and the ... diseases. Resident or non-resident. ...rther particulars and application forms ...nable from the Matron. (35)

WHITELEY VILLAGE HOSPITAL
WALTON-ON-THAMES

...o **S.E.A.N.s** or **Nursing Auxiliaries** ...red at above Private Geriatric Hospital. ...pply, with particulars, to Matron. (106)

KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL
DENMARK HILL, LONDON, S.E.5

...pplications are invited for the post of ...e **State Enrolled Assistant Nurse** at the ...win Brown Convalescent and Recovery ..., Camberley, Surrey. (40 beds for male ... female patients, medical and surgical ...).

...pply: Sister-in-Charge, Baldwin Brown ...alescent and Recovery Home, Camberley, ...y. (58)

ST. THOMAS' HOSPITAL, S.E.1

...ate **Enrolled Assistant Nurses** for X-ray ...rtment, 35 hour week (non-resident). ...o for Theatre, Wards, or Maternity ...rtment, full-time.

...pply, in writing, to Matron. (1834)

BROMPTON HOSPITAL

LONDON, S.W.3

Pupil Assistant Nurse

Training School

Applications are invited for Pupils for the two-year course for the **Assistant Nurse Roll.**

Training will be taken at the Brompton Hospital and students will be seconded to other London Hospitals for experience in Geriatric, General Surgical and Children's Nursing.

Age 18 years to 45 years.

For forms of application apply to Matron.

(x103)

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL
CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT, W.2
PRINCESS LOUISE
KENSINGTON HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN
ST. QUINTIN AVE., W.10

...dent **Nurses** accepted at the age of 18 ... for a three year course of training as ...ered **Sick Children's Nurses.** Schools ...ences in December, April and August.

...ply for brochure and application form ...atron, Princess Louise Kensington Hospi... Children, London, W.10. (32)

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL
LONDON, S.W.1

... two-year course of training in **Practical** ...ng for women 18-50 years at their Grove ..., Tooting Grove, S.W.17. No academic ...cations required.

...ply Matron, St. George's Hospital, S.W.1, ...ting Grove, S.W.17. (2876)

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...lications are invited for the post of ...e **Sister** for The Priory Home for frail ... people in Worthing. This home of 50 ... built three years ago, is pleasantly ...ed in its own grounds. The salary will ... accordance with the Whitley scale and ...st will be vacant on 1st October, 1961. ...uties consist of the nursing care and ...l supervision of the residents. There ... adequate trained staff and a resident ...n in charge of general administration. ...n apply, stating age, qualifications and ...ence, to the General Secretary, Field ... Institution, 16 Vine Hill, Clerkenwell ... E.C.1. (2873)

THE BETHLEM ROYAL HOSPITAL AND THE MAUDSLEY HOSPITAL

GUYS-MAUDSLEY NEUROSURGICAL UNIT

Staff Nurse, S.R.N., required for X-ray Department attached to Operating Theatre. Forty-four hours, 5½ day week.

Apply, in writing, to Superintendent of Nursing, Maudsley Hospital, Denmark Hill, S.E.5 (N.T.). (2956)

THE TRAINED NURSES' CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION OF THE HOSPITAL OF ST. JOHN AND ST. ELIZABETH

60 GROVE END ROAD, LONDON, N.W.8

State Registered Nurses required, with hospital experience, for work in private houses, nursing homes and hospitals.

Apply, stating age and particulars of training, to the Superintendent. (2895)

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General Training School for Nurses

Applications are invited for **Student Nurses** for three years' General Training. Preliminary Training Schools start in January, April and September. Nurses on the Supplementary Register are accepted for a two years' shortened course. Training grants and conditions of service related to the Whitley Council scales. Forty-four hour week. Second class travelling expenses refunded after one year's service.

Application forms, with brochure, may be obtained from Miss M. E. Piper, Matron. (2635)

ROYAL NATIONAL THROAT, NOSE AND EAR HOSPITAL

GRAY'S INN ROAD, W.C.1

and

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(Designated as a Post-graduate Teaching Hospital)

There are vacancies for **Student Nurses** in the nursing school. Three months' Preliminary Training is given; there is a resident Sister Tutor, and Nurses are prepared for the Certificate in the hospital in addition to the General training.

The hospital is approved by the General Nursing Council as an associate General Training School with The Hampstead General Hospital. Candidates must be at least 17 years of age.

Full particulars may be obtained from the Matron, to whom applications should be made. (96)

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Applications are invited for the following appointments:

(a) **Assistant Matron** at Mayfield House, an establishment providing residential accommodation for 400 aged and infirm persons. Salary £810 x £35—£915 per annum, less residential charge of £180 per annum.

(b) **Manageress** (two positions) at residential homes for 40 aged and infirm persons. Salary £770 x £25—£845 per annum, less residential charge of £180 per annum. Experience essential.

(c) **Assistant Manageress** (several positions). Whilst duties at first involve acting as relief for regular homes staff during periods of annual leave, etc., the positions are permanent and placement at one home is usually speedily achieved. Previous experience not essential, but applicants should have a general interest in providing the personal care and attention necessary to the general welfare of aged and infirm persons. Good prospects of rapid promotion. Applicants up to age 55 years considered. Salary £620 x £20—£680 per annum, less residential charge of £150 per annum.

All these positions fully residential in comfortable, attractive living accommodation. Recognised nursing qualification an advantage, attracting additional remuneration.

Particulars and application forms from Chief Welfare Officer, P.O. Box 488, Town Hall, Manchester, 2. (2964av)

COUNTY OF CORNWALL

Applications are invited for the posts of (1) **Resident Female Warden** and (2) **Resident Female Assistant Warden** at Carew House, a home for old people, at Bodriggy, Hayle, Cornwall, with accommodation for 26 residents of both sexes.

(1) Warden's salary: £770 per annum, rising by three annual increments of £25, to £845 per annum, plus £50 per annum for nursing qualifications, less residential emoluments valued at £180 per annum.

(2) Assistant Warden's salary: £312 per annum, rising by four annual increments of £13, to £364 per annum, plus residential emoluments valued at £116 per annum.

The positions are pensionable.

Applications, stating age, experience, etc., accompanied by a copy of a recent testimonial, and the names of two persons to whom reference can be made, should be sent to the County Welfare Officer, County Hall, Truro, Cornwall, not later than the 20th May, 1961.

E. T. VERGER,
Clerk of the County Council.
(2912av)

PLASTER ORDERLY, CLASS I

required at Black Notley Hospital, near Braintree, Essex. Post includes plaster work in Out-patients' Department and Operating Theatres. Wages: £9 17s. 8d. for 42 hour week.

Applications, with details of age, experience and names of two referees, to be addressed to the Matron. (2907av)

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM
WELFARE COMMITTEE
Home for 75 frail ambulant men and women—
"NORMANHURST"
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RESIDENT ASSISTANT MATRON with experience in the care of old people, is required at the above home.

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Appointment superannuable and subject to medical examination.

Applications, stating age, particulars of present and previous appointments, qualifications and general experience, with names of two referees, to be sent to: Chief Welfare Officer, P.O. Box 15, 102 Edmund Street, Birmingham, 3, as soon as possible. (2859av)

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL

requires an **Assistant Matron** at Willett House, Kemnal Road, Chislehurst, a newly built Home, incorporating latest facilities for care of 50 physically infirm old people. Candidates must be S.R.N. or S.E.A.N. Salary £600 to £660 a year, plus £50 for nursing qualification and a special allowance of £20. Charge for emoluments £135.

Applications to County Medical Officer, County Hall, Maidstone. (2974av)

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Open all the year round

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for the post of **Nurse.**

Applications, stating age, qualifications, experience and the names of two referees, to be forwarded to The Secretary, Hospital Saturday Fund, 12a Piccadilly, Manchester, 1. (2790av)

MANCHESTER EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for the post of **Sister** at Margaret Barclay Residential School for physically handicapped children at Mobberley, Cheshire. Salary £656 x 5 increments of £26 and two of £27—£840 per annum, less deduction of £205 for board and lodging.

Application forms and particulars (stamped addressed envelope) from Chief Education Officer, P.O. Box 480, Manchester, 3, by 22nd May, 1961. (2921av)

Matron, with training or experience, required immediately for junior boarders, girls aged 8-11. Apply Headmistress, Upper Chine School, Shanklin, I.W. (2889)

Night Nurse (female), S.E.A.N. Resident post. Nursing Home for sick gentlefolk. Apply Matron, Merlewood Nursing Home, Callow Hill, Virginia Water, Surrey. Whitley scale. (2901)

Night Nurse required, preferably over 30 years of age, for Country Nursing Home in Norfolk. Good experience and references necessary. Salary £8 per week, plus board and lodging. Box 2943, Nursing Times, St. Martin's Street, London, W.C.2. (2943)

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